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LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TAMPA POLICE HAVE RELEASED A COMPOSITE SKETCH OF A MAN BELIEVED TO HAVE RAPED A 21-YEAR-OLD SARASOTA WOMAN DURING LAST WEEK'S GASPARILLA FESTIVITIES. TAKE A LOOK AT THIS SKETCH...THE MAN IS IN HIS MID-TWENTIES.. 5-FOOT-SEVEN TO SIX FEET TALL.. MEDIUM BUILD... WITH A SHORT CURLY AFRO AND A GAP BETWEEN HIS FRONT TEETH. THE WOMAN SAYS SHE WAS ATTACKED IN HYDE PARK SATURDAY AFTERNOON. IF ANYONE HAS A PICTURE OR VIDEO TAPE OF A MAN MATCHING THIS DESCRIPTION....THEY WANT YOU TO CALL TAMPA POLICE AT 813-231-6130. SHORTLY AFTER REPORTING THE CRIME, TAMPA POLICE OFFICERS ARRESTED THE VICTIM ON AN OLD WARRANT FROM SARASOTA. THIS WEEK, TAMPA POLICE SAY THEY WILL CHANGE THEIR POLICY WHEN IT COMES TO ARRESTING VICTIMS OF VIOLENT CRIMES.

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A SARASOTA MAN IS TROUBLE WITH POLICE AFTER PRETENDING TO BE ONE OF THEM. 19 YEAR OLD JESSE BRIANDI... PICTURED HERE... IS CHARGED WITH IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER.. DEPUTIES SAY HE USED HIS WHITE IMPALA.. SIMILAR TO A DEPUTIES CRUISER TO BLOCK AND QUESTION THREE TEENAGE GIRLS IN A PARKING LOT. BRIANDI TOLD THEM HIS NAME WAS OFFICER VICKSON.. GAVE THEM A BADGE NUMBER AND EVEN USED A HAND HELD RADIO TO CALL IT IN. THIS IS THE SECOND TIME BRIANDI HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER..

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RESIDENTS IN SARASOTA'S RED HAWK SUBDIVISION MAY HAVE HAD A RESTLESS NIGHT. THIS AFTER FIRE AUTHORITIES SAY SOMEONE HAS BEEN SETTING BRUSH FIRES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD. INVESTIGATORS SAY THREE FIRES WERE SET IN THE LAST TWO DAYS IN THE RED HAWK SUBDIVISION AT CLARK AND TALONG ROADS. THE FIRES DIDN'T CAUSE ANY DAMAGE BUT RESIDENTS SAY THEY FEAR IT WILL HAPPEN AGAIN. THE HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION HAS HIRED A NIGHTTIME SECURITY OFFICER TO PATROL THE AREA.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE U-S FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION HAS APPROVED A NEW DRUG CALLED YAZ. THE COMPANY BEHIND THE DRUG SAYS THE BIRTH CONTROL CAN HELP TREAT MODERATE ACNE IN WOMEN WHO ALSO WANT TO USE AN ORAL CONTRACEPTIVE FOR BIRTH CONTROL. YAZ WILL BECOME THE FIRST ORAL CONTRACEPTIVE APPROVED

BY THE F-D-A WITH THREE DIFFERENT PURPOSES... BIRTH CONTROL, ACNE CONTROL, AND IT CAN ALSO HELP TREAT EMOTIONAL AND PHYSICAL SYMPTOMS OF PREMENSTRUAL DYSPHORIC DISORDER...A SEVERE FORM OF P-M-S.

LENGTH-00:50 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MAMMOGRAM SCREENING REDUCES A WOMAN'S RISK OF DEATH FROM BREAST CANCER BY UP TO 25 PERCENT, SO CURRENT GUIDELINES SAY WOMEN SHOULD HAVE A YEARLY MAMMOGRAM STARTING AT AGE 40. BUT A NEW STUDY FINDS THAT MANY WOMEN AREN'T GETTING THE ANSWERS THEY NEED FROM THEIR MAMMOGRAM SCREENING. RESEARCHERS COMPARED WHAT WOMEN SAID ABOUT THE RESULTS OF THEIR MAMMOGRAMS TO THE ACTUAL RESULTS FROM THE DOCTORS' OFFICES. THEY FOUND THAT MORE THAN 1 IN 10 WOMEN DIDN'T RECEIVE THEIR RESULTS OR DID NOT UNDERSTAND THE RESULTS THEY GOT FROM THEIR DOCTOR. AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN WERE MORE LIKELY TO HAVE HAD PROBLEMS WITH THEIR MAMMOGRAMS. SOMETIMES THE MAMMOGRAM SHOWED ABNORMALITIES THAT SHOULD HAVE REQUIRED MORE TESTING, BUT THE WOMEN MISSED OUT ON THIS IMPORTANT INFORMATION DUE TO POOR COMMUNICATION WITH THEIR DOCTORS. THE MESSAGE FOR WOMEN IS DON'T BE AFRAID TO ASK QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR MAMMOGRAM. IF NO ONE CONTACTS YOU ABOUT YOUR RESULTS, CALL YOUR DOCTOR'S OFFICE TO ASK WHAT HAPPENED SO THAT YOU DON'T LOSE THE BENEFIT OF THIS LIFE- SAVING TEST.

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

"WE'RE NOT PLAYING AROUND. IT'S ABOUT KEEPING THE CITY ON EDGE .. IT'S ABOUT PUBLIC SAFETY." ELECTRONIC LIGHT DISPLAYS THAT WERE PLACED UNDER BRIDGES, ON STOREFRONTS AND IN OTHER LOCATIONS WERE MEANT TO PROMOTE "AQUA TEEN HUNGER FORCE" – A PROGRAM ON THE CARTOON NETWORK. TWO EMPLOYEES OF THE MARKETING FIRM RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CAMPAIGN WERE ARRAIGNED THIS MORNING FOR PLACING OVER 40 SIGNS AROUND THE CITY. THEY COULD FACE PRISON TIME FOR CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY AND DISORDERLY CONDUCT. "IT IS OUTRAGEOUS, IN A POST 9/11 WORLD, THAT A COMPANY WOULD USE THIS TYPE OF MARKETING SCHEME." BOSTON AUTHORITIES SAY THEY WILL ALSO GO AFTER TURNER BROADCASTING, THE PARENT COMPANY OF THE CARTOON NETWORK. THEY WANT TURNER TO MAKE RESTITUTION FOR THE ESTIMATED ONE MILLION DOLLARS THEY SPENT DEALING WITH THE SCARE TURNED HOAX.

LENGTH-01:59 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IF YOU GO TO MORE THAN ONE DOCTOR, IF YOU HAVE BEEN TO MORE THAN ONE HOSPITAL...YOUR MEDICAL RECORDS ARE EITHER ALL OVER THE PLACE. OR YOU DO HAVE THEM...BUT ON HARD, PAPER COPY.AND CHARTS LIKE THESE AREN'T EASY TO CARRY AROUND. THAT'S WHY THIS NEW ID CARD...THE MY VERY NECESSARY MEDICAL I.D. CARD...IS A CONCEPT THE SYSTEM HAS BEEN CRYING FOR. "YOU CAN PUT AS MUCH OR AS LITTLE OF YOUR MEDICAL RECORD THAT YOU WANT ON THIS SITE AND YOU CAN ALWAYS GO BACK AND FIND IT." THIS CARD HAS ON ITS FACE THE KEY INFO: MEDICAL CONDITIONS, BLOOD TYPE, EMERGENCY CONTACT INFO, AND ALLERGIES. "THOSE THINGS CAN CAUSE A HORRIBLE REACTION. I'M ALLERGIC TO

PENICILLIN AND IF I HAVE PENICILLIN, I COULD DIE. BY USING THE ID CODE...IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY...DOCTORS CAN ACCESS ALL THE MEDICAL RECORDS ON LINE ON THE WEBSITE ACCESSMYRECORDS.COM. "EVEN THE MOST SOPHISTICATED MRI CAN ALL BE EMAILED NOW TO PEOPLE, SO IT'S REALLY NICE TO HAVE ALL THAT INFORMATION ON HAND." IT CAN ALSO BE USED FOR ROUTINE OFFICE VISITS...HELPING TO MANAGE THE MEDICINES. "THEY ARE ASKING YOU WHICH MEDICINES YOU ARE TAKING AND YOU GET CONFUSED. AM I TAKING XANAX OR ZANTAX? IS IT 50 OR 500 MG? WHAT YEAR DID I HAVE MY APPENDIX REMOVED?" ALL THAT...ANSWERED WITH THE WEBSITE..."I THINK IT WOULD BE GREAT ASSET ESPECIALLY IF WE HAD A PATIENT WHO DIDN'T REMEMBER THEIR MEDICAL INFORMATION OR THEY WERE UNABLE TO SPEAK BECAUSE OF A MEDICAL CONDITION." WHICH MEANS SOMETIMES DOCTORS HAVE TO GUESS...WHERE THEY COULD HAVE KNOWN THE FACTS ABOUT A PATIENT."THIS LEADS TO MEDICAL ERRORS, IT LEADS TO A GREAT DEAL OF OVER TESTING WHEN PATIENTS HAVE HAD TESTS WE DON'T NEED TO REPEAT, AND VERY IMPORTANTLY IF WE DO NEED TO REPEAT TESTS, IT ALLOWS US TO COMPARE NEW FINDINGS TO PRIOR STUDIES GREATLY INCREASING OUR ABILITY TO MAKE THE RIGHT DIAGNOSIS AND THE RIGHT TREATMENT." AND DOCTORS BELIEVES IT WILL, WITHOUT QUESTION, REDUCE MEDICAL ERRORS AND SAVE LIVES. "IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION, EVERY SECOND COUNTS, EVERY MINUTE COUNTS, IT WOULD SAVE US A LOT OF TIME TRYING TO FIND THIS INFORMATION."

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN OTHER STORIES MAKING NEWS HERE ON THE SUNCOAST, MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE ASKING FOR YOUR HELP INVESTIGATING AN EARLY MORNING DRIVE BY SHOOTING.DEPUTIES SAY SOMEONE DROVE BY A HOME IN THE 800 BLOCK OF 31ST AVENUE EAST AROUND ONE-THIRTY THIS MORNING AND BEGAN SHOOTING AT A HOME.SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY THEY HIT AN UNOCCUPIED PARKED CAR, AND THREE BULLETS HIT THE HOME, ONE ENTERING THROUGH A WINDOW. NO ONE WAS INJURED IN THE SHOOTING AND NO ARRESTS HAVE BEEN MADE.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

TWO SUNCOAST TEENS REPORTED MISSING YESTERDAY ARE SAFE AND SOUND THIS AFTERNOON -- AFTER STEALING A BOAT FROM MARINA JACK'S SARASOTA POLICE SAY EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING, A 16 YEAR OLD BOY STOLE HIS UNCLE'S BOAT FROM ITS SLIP AT MARINA JACK... TAKING HIS 16 YEAR OLD GIRLFRIEND ON A DANGEROUS JOY RIDE... AND THEY SAID THEY DID ALL FOR LOVE. AFTER FIVE HOURS, THE COAST GUARD SPOTTED THE LOVE STRUCK PAIR ON THE WEST SIDE OF EGMONT KEY, AN ISLAND IN TAMPA BAY.POLICE SAY THE TEENS COULD FACE POSSIBLE CRIMINAL CHARGES AND AUTHORITIES ARE CONSIDERING BILLING THE PARENTS FOR THE HIGH COST OF SEARCH AND RESCUE EFFORTS.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

LONG HOURS ON THE ROAD MAY ACTUALLY INCREASE ONE'S RISK OF SKIN CANCER, ESPECIALLY FOR MEN. RECENTLY, DOCTORS EXAMINED NEARLY 900 PATIENTS WITH SKIN CANCER AND FOUND A LINK BETWEEN FREQUENT DRIVING AND SKIN CANCER

ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE BODY. TWO-THIRDS OF THE PEOPLE WITH SKIN CANCERS ON THE LEFT SIDE WERE MEN. MEN WHO HAD LEFT-SIDE SKIN CANCERS TENDED TO HAVE THEM IN AREAS EXPOSED TO SUNLIGHT WHILE DRIVING - THE ARM, THE HAND, AND LEFT SIDE OF THE FACE. DOCTORS ASKED SOME PATIENTS ABOUT THEIR DRIVING HABITS AND FOUND A DIRECT LINK BETWEEN HOURS ON THE ROAD AND AN INCREASED RISK OF LEFT SIDE SKIN CANCER. TYPICALLY, THE CAR'S WINDSHIELD WILL BLOCK BOTH THE SUN'S UVA AND UVB RAYS, BUT THE SIDE WINDOWS TEND NOT TO BLOCK THE UVA RAYS THAT ARE MOST LINKED TO CANCER. YOUR BEST BET TO REDUCE SKIN CANCER RISK IS TO WEAR A DAILY SUN BLOCK THAT INCLUDES UVA AND UVB PROTECTION-- IN THE CAR AND OUT OF IT.

LENGTH-01:08 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

IT'S CALLED HUMAN TRAFFICKING, BUT IT'S BASICALLY MODERN DAY SLAVERY...AND IT'S NOW A POTENTIAL PROBLEM IN MANATEE COUNTY..."MANATEE COUNTY DEFINITELY HAS A LARGE AGRICULTURAL AND FARM AREA, SO THERE'S POSSIBILITIES" DANIELLE SWEAT FIGHTS HUMAN TRAFFICKING AT THE STATE LEVEL... SHE SAYS FARM SERVITUDE IS THE BIGGEST CONCERN ON THE SUNCOAST... MIGRANT WORKERS FORCED TO WORK LONG HOURS FOR LITTLE OR NO PAY... "IT'S VERY SCARY, HAPPENING ALL OVER IN EVERYONE'S BACK YARD" "SCARY TO BELIEVE....NOT HARD TO BELIEVE, JUST SCARY" AT THE LOCAL LEVEL...THESE ARE THE FACES THAT CAN STOP IT HERE AT HOME...PEOPLE FROM THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, FAITH BASED GROUPS AND FARMWORKER OUTREACH PROGRAMS IT'S THIS KIND OF SEMINAR THAT TEACHES THEM WHAT TO LOOK FOR..."WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT CAN WE DO TO HELP?" "I WANT TO BE ABLE TO DO SOMETHING TO HELP I CAN" SIGNS INCLUDE...BARBED WIRE FENCING...UNUSUALLY HEAVY SECURITY AT ANY FARM PEOPLE COMING AND GOING WITH ESCORTS CRAMPED LIVING SPACE...AND SIGNS OF MALNOURISHMENT "WE HAVE LAWS AND THEY HAVE RIGHTS"

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FEBRUARY 4, 2007

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

THE MANATEE SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS INVESTIGATION 10 CAR ROBBERIESINCLUDING A STOLEN CAR . THEY ALL OCCURED IN BRADENTON YESTERDAY. A SATURN SUV WAS STOLEN FROM THE ENCORE RV PARK ON KAY ROAD. THREE OTHER CARS WERE BROKEN INTO AT THAT SAME LOCATION. THE STOLEN CAR MATCHED THE PESCRPTION OF A VEHICLE SPOTTED FLEEING FROM FROM ANOTHER CAR BREAK IN ON 10TH AVENUE EAST. FIVE MORE BURLARIES WERE REPORTED ON 18TH AVENUE EAST. THE STOLEN CAR WAS RECOVERED ...WITH ALL IT'S WINDOWS BROKEN OUT ... ABOUT A HALF MILE AWA ...Y STUCK IN A MUDDY FIELD.

LENGTH-01:06 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-LATE

A MAN WHO WON'T GIVE UP IN HIS FIGHT AGAINST CANCER ...WALKS COAST TO COAST ACROSS FLORIDA. TONY MCEACHREN COMPLETED HIS 8 DAY JOURNEY TODAY. HE BEGAN WALKING FROM FORT PIERCE ...ON THE EAST COAST OF FLORIDA. HE MARCHED WEST, FINISHING AT SIESTA KEY BEACH. DOCTORS SAY, THE 33-YEAR-OLD HAS A BRAIN TUMOR. THEY GAVE HIM TWO YEARS TO LIVE...TODAY, FOUR YEARS AFTER HIS DIAGNOSES ...HE'S SAYS, HE'S MAKING STRIDES AT LIVING A BETTER LIFE. "LIVING WELL WITH AN ILLNESS, AS OPPOSE TO FINDING A CURE. A CURE IS TO DAUNTING. AND EVERYBODY IS THROWING MONEY TRYING TO FIGURE OUT HOW TO FIND A CURE. BUT EVERYBODY IS FORGETTING ABOUT HOW TO LIVE." MCEACHREN SAYS, HE'S PLANNING A MULTI-STATE WALK ... HOPING TO HAVE ENOUGH PEOPLE AND FUNDING TO LAUNCH A TEAM CALLED "TONY FOUNDATION." HIS GOAL, RAISE CANCER AWARENESS IN THE UNITED STATES FOR PROGRAMS THAT HELP THOSE DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER.

FEBRUARY 5, 2007

LENGTH-03:11 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

WHEN YOU THINK OF JOE THEISMANN AND HEALTH...IF YOU'RE ANY KIND OF FOOTBALL FAN...THIS IS THE PLAY THAT COMES TO MIND. A HORRIFIC BROKEN LEG CAUSED BY LAWRENCE TAYLOR TACKLE. THE LEG HEALED FINE...AND TODAY, JOE STILL HAS THE ARM....BUT AT 57...EVEN THOUGH HE'S IN GREAT SHAPE...AN ENLARGED PROSTATE WAS NOT SOMETHING JOE COULD DO ANYTHING TO PREVENT. "MY WORK WAS BEING HAMPERED WAS BEING SADDLED BECAUSE I HAD TO MAKE SURE I KNEW HOW CLOSE I WAS TO A BATHROOM. IS IT A 30 SECOND COMMERCIAL; IS IT A 60 SEC COMMERCIAL? HOW MUCH LIQUID AM I GOING TO DRINK WITHIN A COURSE OF A GAME?" SOME OF THE MOST COMMON PROBLEMS IS WAKING UP AND HAVING TO GO IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT, HAVING TO GO FREQUENTLY AND HAVING A STREAM THAT IS JUST NOT WHAT IT USED TO BE. THOSE WERE JOE'S SYMPTOMS...AND LIKE A LOT OF GUYS, HE WAS, AT FIRST, JUST SUFFERING WITH IT. "I DIDN'T KNOW THERE WAS SOMETHING OUT THERE THAT GAVE ME A QUALITY OF LIFE. IT IS ONE THING TO TAKE SOMETHING THAT MAKES YOU FEEL BETTER; IT'S ANOTHER THING TO ACTUALLY TAKE A PRODUCT THAT ACTUALLY SHRINKS THE PROSTATE." AND THERE ARE SEVERAL DRUGS ON THE MARKET TODAY THAT WILL SHRINK THE PROSTATE. "THE DRUG I TOOK, AVADART, WORKED FOR ME IN ABOUT 6 WEEKS. WHAT I STARTED NOTICING IS THAT I WAS NOT GETTING UP IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT; I DIDN'T HAVE THE URGE TO GO TO THE BATHROOM. I COULD SIT AND DO 3 HOURS OF A FOOTBALL GAME AND FEEL RELAXED AND COMFORTABLE NOT WONDERING WHEN THAT MOMENT WAS GOING TO HIT ME."

JOE'S MESSAGE: DON'T BE EMBARRASSED ABOUT THIS...GO TO YOUR DOCTOR. "OH YOU WHISPER, SHHH, DON'T TALK ABOUT IT TOO LOUD, SOMEONE MIGHT HEAR YOU. I COME OUT OF THE MACHO-EST WORLD I THINK YOU COULD FIND IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS.. I HOPE THAT GUYS ARE LOOKING AT IT AND SAYING, "HEY, IF JOE THEISMANN, WHOEVER HE IS THAT WORLD THAT HE CAME OUT OF, CAN SIT DOWN AND TALK ABOUT THAT PROBLEM. I SHOULD HAVE THE COURAGE TO ASK A DOCTOR

IN THE PRIVACY OF HIS OFFICE AND ASK QUESTIONS AND BE PROACTIVE ABOUT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN MY LIFE."

LENGTH-01:58

ISSUE-HEALTH 5

SHOW TIME-5:00

YOU SEE HER HANDWRITING, EVERYTHING WAS ORGANIZED FOR TALLY GLISKO ITS PAINFUL TO GO THROUGH HER DAUGHTER MOR'S ROOM..UNTOUCHED SINCE THE DAY SHE LEFT FOR NOSE SURGERY LAST NOVEMBER. 21ST 2006 THIS WAS THE LAST THING SHE WAS WRITING MOR GLISKO, WAS AN 18-YEAR-OLD HONOR STUDENT WITH DREAMS OF BECOMING A CORPORATE LAWYER. SHE THOUGHT A ROUTINE NOSE PROCEDURE MIGHT HELP CORRECT DAMAGE DONE FROM A CAR ACCIDENT. IT WAS A GIFT TO FIX HER NOSE THAT WAS BROKEN IN THE ACCIDENT. IT WAS VERY DAMAGED IN THE ACCIDENT. GLISKO TOOK HER DAUGHTER TO DR. YOEL SHARAH'S OFFICE IN MANHATTAN. SHE SAYS THE DOCTOR ASSURED HER THERE WAS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT. VERY SIMPLE. FORTY-FIVE MINUTES. ONE TWO THREE, HE MAKES THE SURGERY, SHE GOES TO THE RECOVERY ROOM, AFTER 2 HOURS SHE'S IN THE HOUSE. GLISKO LEFT THE DR.'S OFFICE BRIEFLY, ONLY TO RETURN TO A NIGHTMARE FROM EVERYWHERE, PEOPLE, POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, YOU CAN'T BELIEVE HOW MANY PEOPLE WERE THERE IN A SECOND! AND THEN THE DOCTOR CAME FROM THE OTHER ROOM AND SAID TALLY, I'M SORRY, YOUR DAUGHTER'S HEART STOPPED BEATING. WHILE IN DR. SHARAHS OFFICE, MOR WENT INTO A COMA, SHE WAS RUSHED TO THE HOSPITAL, WHERE SHE LATER DIED. GLISKO SAYS SOME 3 MONTHS LATER, SHE STILL DOESN'T KNOW THE DETAILS OF WHAT HAPPENED THAT DAY. DR. SHARAH BLAMED THE ANESTHESIA DOCTOR. JAMES SPENCER BLAMED DR.SHAHAR . I TOLD THEM, SHAME ON YOURSELF TO BLAME NOBODY! YOU NEED TO BLAME ONE PERSON: YOU. THE GLISKO'S ARE SUING BOTH DOCTORS AND THE NEW YORK STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS INVESTIGATING. CNN ASKED BOTH DOCTORS FOR ON-CAMERA INTERVIEWS, BUT BOTH DECLINED, INSTEAD PROVIDING THESE STATEMENTS THROUGH THEIR LAWYERS: QUOTE -- "WE HAVE EXTENDED OUR CONDOLENCES TO THE GLISKO FAMILY. DR.SHAHAR IS A FINE SURGEON, AND THIS IS A TRAGEDY FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED. HE DID NOTHING WRONG" "DR. SPENCER'S HEART GOES OUT TO THE PARENTS OF THIS CHILD, HE DID NOTHING WRONG, IT APPEARS THERE WAS AN ALLERGIC REACTION TO ONE OF THE MEDICATIONS." DR. ANDREW JACONO IS A BOARD CERTIFIED PLASTIC SURGEON WHO PERFORMS ROUGHLY TWO THOUSAND COSMETIC PROCEDURES A YEAR...HE SAYS RHINOPLASTY IS TYPICALLY A VERY SAFE PROCEDURE. ELECTIVE COSMETIC SURGERIES ARE GENERALLY PROCEDURES THAT DON'T INVOLVE VITAL ORGANS, THAT DON'T INVOLVE MANIPULATION OF PORTIONS OF THE BODY THAT COULD CAUSE A PERSON TO DIE. SO NOBODY SHOULD DIE OF COSMETIC SURGERY. THAT'S A HARD STATEMENT FOR GLISKO TO ACCEPT, AS SHE STILL MOURNS THE LOSS OF HER DAUGHTER. IT'S MISSING THAT YOU KNOW IT'S NOT GOING TO BE ANYMORE. YOU CAN'T TOUCH YOU CAN'T HOLD YOU CAN'T KISS YOU CAN'T DO NOTHING.

LENGTH-01:20

ISSUE-CRIME 1

SHOW TIME-6:00

WE'RE NOW HEARING FROM THE YOUNG WOMAN WHO SAYS SHE WAS RAPED AND THEN ARRESTED. LAST NIGHT THE VICTIM, HER FAMILY, AND HER LAWYER HELD A NEWS CONFERENCE IN VENICE. THE 21-YEAR OLD VICTIM READ A PREPARED STATEMENT..WE'VE BEEN ASKED NOT IDENTIFY HER BECAUSE THE FAMILY IS CONCERNED ABOUT HER SAFETY. THEY BELIEVE THE RAPIST IS STILL ON THE LOOSE.

POLICE, WHILE INVESTIGATING HER COMPLAINT, DISCOVERED THE YOUNG WOMAN WAS WANTED ON AN OUTSTANDING JUVENILE WARRANT FROM SARASOTA COUNTY AND ARRESTED HER. THE VICTIM SAYS BECAUSE OF THE INCIDENT SHE WILL BE TAKING A LEAVE FROM COLLEGE. SHE REITERATED THAT SHE WAS VICTIMIZED FIRST BY HER ATTACKER AND LATER BY A NURSE WHO REFUSED TO ADMINISTER HER A MORNING AFTER PILL DUE TO THE NURSE'S RELIGIOUS BELIEFS. THE TAMPA POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS MADE SOME MAJOR CHANGES TO THE WAY IT WILL HANDLE SIMILAR SITUATIONS. BUT TODAY THE VICTIM SAYS SHE'S STILL LOOKING FOR JUSTICE. "THE TAMPA POLICE HAVE MADE SOME CHANGES TO THEIR POLICIES. I'M NOT FAMILIAR WITH ALL OF THE CHANGES MADE BUT I APPRECIATE THEIR WILLINGNESS TO TRY AND RECTIFY THE SITUATION SO WHAT HAPPENED TO ME WILL NOT HAPPEN TO ANYONE ELSE. UNFORTUNATELY I AM STILL VERY MUCH CONCERNED WITH MY PHYSICAL CONDITION AND HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO ATTAIN RESULTS OF MEDICAL TESTING DONE AT THE CRISIS CLINIC WHICH IS NECESSARY TO DETERMINE IF I NEED FURTHER MEDICAL TREATMENT." INVESTIGATORS ARE ASKING ANYONE WHO TOOK PHOTOGRAPHS OR SHOT VIDEO AT GASPARILLA TO REVIEW THEIR FOOTAGE...AND REPORT IF THEY SEE ANYONE WHO RESEMBLES THE POLICE SKETCH OF THE MAN THE WOMAN SAYS RAPED HER. SHE DESCRIBED HIM TO POLICE AS LIKELY IN HIS 20'S, ABOUT 5-FEET SEVEN. MEDIUM BUILD WITH A GAP IN HIS TWO FRONT TEETH. SHE SAYS HE HAS SHORT CURLY HAIR AND WAS LAST WEARING A TAN T-SHIRT AND JEANS.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

THE BROTHER OF CONVICTED KILLER JOSEPH SMITH, IS BEHIND BARS AGAIN.. 38-YEAR OLD JOHN SMITH PICKED UP FRIDAY MORNING ON A WARRANT FOR VIOLATING HIS PROBATION. DEPUTIES SAY SMITH MOVED WITHOUT NOTIFYING HIS PAROLE OFFICER. HE ALSO FAILED DRUG TESTS.. SMITH'S BROTHER, JOESPH SMITH WAS CONVICTED OF THE 2004 KIDNAPPING, RAPE AND MURDER OF 11 YEAR OLD CARLIE BRUCIA.. JOHN SMITH'S TESTIMONY AT HIS TRIAL.. WAS KEY TO JOE SMITH'S CONVICTION..

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A LOVE TRIANGLE.. LANDS AN ASTRONAUT IN JAIL. POLICE SAY U-S NAVY CAPTAIN LISA NOWAK DROVE FROM HER HOME IN HOUSTON TO THE ORLANDO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO CONFRONT A WOMAN. THAT WOMAN WAS SUPPOSEDLY ROMANTICALLY INVOLVED WITH U-S NAVY COMMANDER WILLIAM OEFELEIN.. SOMEONE NOWAK WAS ALSO IN LOVE WITH. NOWAK'S ACCUSED OF FOLLOWING THE WOMAN TO HER CAR AND PEPPER SPRAYING HER. NOWAK FLEW LAST JULY ON A SPACE SHUTTLE MISSION TO THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION. TONIGHT SHE'S CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED KIDNAPPING AND BATTERY..

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LAST MONTH, POLICE FOUND 13-YEAR-OLD BEN OWNBY IN DEVLIN'S SUBURBAN ST. LOUIS APARTMENT, ALONG WITH SHAWN HORNBECK WHO HAD BEEN MISSING FOR FOUR YEARS.."THIS AFTERNOON WE FILED A TOTAL OF 71 COUNTS AGAINST MICHAEL DEVLIN. THE FIRST 18 COUNTS INVOLVE 1 COUNT OF KIDNAPPING, FORCIBLE SODOMY.. REMAINDER INCLUDE KIDNAPPING AND FORCIBLE SODOMY FOR ABDUCTION IN 2001... EACH IS FELONY, CARRYING UP TO LIFE IN PRISON." DEVLIN ALREADY FACES KIDNAPPING CHARGES IN TWO MISSOURI *COUNTIES* FOR THE ABDUCTIONS OF OWNBY AND HORNBECK. HE HAS PLEADED NOT GUILTY TO THOSE CHARGES.

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IMAGINE SLEEPING...BUT NEVER GETTING A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP. THAT'S WHAT JOSHUA SHUCHATOWITZ HAD TO DEAL WITH."I WOULD WAKE UP EXHAUSTED. I JUST COULDN'T STAY UP NO MATTER HOW MANY CUPS OF COFFEE OR CAFFEINE THAT I TOOK." TO CONFIRM THE PRESUMED DIAGNOSIS OF SLEEP APNEA...A CONDITION WHERE THE PERSON STOPS BREATHING HUNDREDS OF TIMES A NIGHT, AWAKENING THE PATIENT EACH TIME...JOSHUA UNDERWENT A COMPLEX SLEEP STUDY TEST, ALSO KNOWN AS POLYSOMNOGRAPHY... A TEST DONE IN THE HOSPITAL WHERE THE PERSON'S BRAIN WAVES, BREATHING, PULSE AND BLOOD PRESSURE ARE FOLLOWED DURING A NIGHT'S REST. BUT HAVING TO DO THE TEST IN THE HOSPITAL IS CUMBERSOME, AND COSTLY. NOW, A NEW STUDY, IN THE ANNALS OF INTERNAL MEDICINE, SHOWS THAT IN FACT, MOST PATIENTS WITH A HIGH PROBABILITY OF HAVING SLEEP APNEA DON'T NEED AN OVERNIGHT SLEEP STUDY IN THE HOSPITAL...THEY CAN SIMPLY BE STARTED ON THE TREATMENT...CPAP. "IT IS BASICALLY AN AIR COMPRESSOR THIS MASK USUALLY SITS AROUND THE NOSE. THE IDEA BEHIND THIS IS TO CREATE A POSITIVE PRESSURE THAT SPLITS THE AIRWAY OPEN SO WHEN PEOPLE GO TO SLEEP THE AIRWAY DOESN'T CLOSE DOWN AND ALLOWS THEM TO BREATHE NORMALLY." BUT DR. ANA KRIEGER OF THE NYU SLEEP DISORDER CENTER BELIEVES BYPASSING THE SLEEP STUDY ISN'T NECESSARILY GOING TO BE AN EASIER PATH. "IT IS DEFINITELY A MORE LABOR INTENSIVE PATHWAY BECAUSE PATIENTS NEED TO COME FOR FREQUENT VISITS AND FREQUENT MONITORING. THEY STILL NEED A SLEEP SPECIALIST INVOLVED TO DETERMINE IF

TREATMENT IS ADVISED. THEY MAY NOT BE COME FOR THE OVERNIGHT 12 HOUR STUDY, BUT THEY MAY NEED TO PUT IN 12 HOURS OF VISITS THROUGHOUT SEVERAL DAYS." THE AUTHORS BELIEVE THIS MIGHT BE A MONEY SAVING APPROACH, HOWEVER. "WE REALLY NEED TO FIGURE OUT IF THIS IS REALLY A COST-SAVING METHOD WE NEED TO ADDRESS IT WITH INSURANCE COMPANIES AND HOPEFULLY GET IT COVERED." THE MESSAGE THOUGH, REGARDLESS OF HOW ONE IS DIAGNOSED AND STARTED ON TREATMENT...IS TO GET TO A PROFESSIONAL IF YOU BELIEVE YOU ARE HAVING THIS PROBLEM. "WE KNOW THAT YOUNG POPULATIONS WITH SLEEP APNEA ARE AT HIGH CHANCES FOR DEVELOPING HEART ATTACKS, STROKES AND HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE."

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

HE HEARD THE PSYCHIC'S COMMERICALS ON THE RADIO...SHE PROMISED TO BRING GOOD LUCK AND FORTUNE TO ANYONE WHO CALLED...LANDAVERDE IS SPANISH AND SAYS HIS CULTURE BELIEVES IN PSYCHICS AND THEIR ABILITIES...SO HE CALLED, HOPING SHE WOULD HELP HIM FIND WORK AND THEN BLESS HIS MONEY AND FAMILY....LANDAVERDE SAYS HE MET WITH THE PSYCHIC THREE DIFFERENT TIMES...EACH TIME SHE CONVINCED HIM TO COME BACK... WHEN SHE TOLD HIM TO BRING HIS LIFE SAVINGS...ALL 32 THOUSAND DOLLARS HE DID...SHE PROMISED TO BLESS IT AND GET RID OF THE DEVILS IN IT....BUT HE HAD TO LEAVE THE MONEY WITH HER OVERNIGHT AND COME BACK THE NEXT DAY.....MAYBE THE DEVILS WERE ONE...BUT SHE WAS TOO...I FEEL LIKE I WANNA DIE""I KNOW A LOT OF PEOPLE DON'T BELIEVE THIS...BUT THE SPANISH PEOPLE THIS IS THEIR CULTURE, THEY BELIEVE IN THIS KIND OF STUFF"

LENGTH-00:13 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THEIVES USE A PICK UP TRUCK TO ROB A BRADENTON GUN SHOP.. DEPUTIES SAY SOMETIME AROUND 3 A-M THIS MORNING.. THE ROBBERS BACKED THE TRUCK THROUGH THE FRONT DOORS OF THE RED BARN PAWN AND GUN SHOP.. THE STORE'S OWNER BELIEVES TWO RIFLES ARE MISSING.

LENGTH-01:10 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

43 YEAR OLD ASTRONAUT LISA MARIE NOWAK WAS LEAD INTO COURT WEARING HANDCUFFS AND SHACKLES-- HER HEAD DOWN AS THE JUDGE READ THE CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED FIRST DEGREE MURDER. NOWAK ALSO IS CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED KIDNAPPING, BUGLARY AND BATTERY. POLICE BELIEVE THE MARRIED MOTHER OF THREE, SEEN HERE BEFORE A MISSION LAST JULY TO THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION. "I CAN'T WAIT TO GO" WAS INVOLVED IN A LOVE TRIANGLE WITH FELLOW ASTRONAUT BILL OFALEIN AND DEVISED A BIZARRE PLAN TO CONFRONT THE OTHER WOMAN ...NOWAK ALLEGEDLY DROVE 900 MILES FROM HOUSTON TO ORLANDO...WEARING DIAPERS SO SHE WOULDN'T HAVE TO STOP TO USE THE BATHROOM...AT THE AIRPORT POLICE SAY SHE PUT ON A WIG AND TRENCH COAT WHILE WAITING FOR COLEEN SHIPMAN'S PLANE TO ARRIVE ...FOLLOWED HER TO A PARKING LOT THEN PEPPER SPRAYED HER. SHIPMAN DID MANAGE TO GET AWAY...IN

NOWAK'S CAR POLICE SAY THEY FOUND A BB GUN, STEEL MALLET, LATEX GLOVES, A KNIFE AND A LOVE LETTER TO OFELEIN.. "IT'S REALLY VERY SAD CASE." ASTRONAUT STEVE LINDSAY FLEW WITH NOWAK ON THE SPACE SHUTTLE AND TODAY WAS WITH HER IN COURT: "OUR PRIMARY CONCERN IS LISA'S HEALTH AND WELL BEING AND TO MAKE SURE SHE'S SAFE AND WE GET HER THROUGH THIS." BACK HOME IN HOUSTON NOWAK'S NEIGHBORS SAY THE WOMAN DESCRIBED IN COURT DOESN'T SOUND LIKE THE PERSON THEY KNOW : "LISA IS JUST THE SWEETEST PERSON I CAN'T EVEN IMAGINE SHE WOULD BE CAPABLE OF THAT " NOWAK WAS SCHEDULED TO BE IN MISSION CONTROL SUPPORTING THE NEXT SHUTTLE LAUNCH MARCH 15TH... THAT NOW SEEMS HIGHLY UNLIKELY.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

IT HAPPENS ON CAMPUSES ALL OVER THE COUNTRY... COLLEGE STUDENTS COMPLAINING ABOUT THE "FRESHMAN 15." THAT'S THE TRADITIONAL 15 POUNDS THAT A LOT OF FIRST YEAR COLLEGE STUDENTS ADD ON DURING THEIR FIRST OR SECOND SEMESTER OF COLLEGE. THE AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION SAYS THAT'S EXTRA WEIGHT THAT IS OFTEN CARRIED INTO ADULTHOOD, PUTTING PEOPLE AT RISK FOR HEART DISEASE AND DIABETES. THE A-D-A WARNS STUDENTS THAT COLLEGE IS NO TIME TO IGNORE HEALTHY EATING HABITS. IT'S A HUGE CHANGE. YOU'RE OUT OF MOM AND DAD'S HOUSE. YOU NO LONGER HAVE THAT STRUCTURE AND THERE IS FOOD EVERYWHERE. MOORE SAYS LARGE PORTIONS, FATTENING SELECTIONS, LACK OF EXERCISE AND ADDED STRESS CAN ALL LEAD TO WEIGHT GAIN. MAKE SURE YOU'RE EATING IN MODERATION AND ALSO TRY TO PLAN // SAY YOUR FIRST CLASS ISN'T UNTIL NOON, YOU STILL WANT TO MAKE SURE YOU INCORPORATE THREE MEALS A DAY. THREE MEALS THAT INCLUDE A LOT OF LOW FAT FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. CUTTING BACK ON SOFT DRINKS AND LIMITING DESSERTS TO ONCE A WEEK WILL ALSO HELP KEEP WEIGHT UNDER CONTROL.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

AN OREGON FATHER IS UNDER ARREST. HE'S CHARGED WITH USING A STUN GUN ... NUMEROUS TIMES ... ON HIS 18-MONTH-OLD SON ... OVER A THREE WEEK PERIOD. THIS IS THE DEVICE CALLED "A DRAGON FIRE". POLICE SAY A FATHER USED IT ON HIS YOUNG SON. IT DELIVERS ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND VOLTS OF ELECTRICITY ... ENOUGH TO STOP A GROWN MAN. 23-YEAR-OLD RIAN JAMES WHITTMAN WAS TURNED IN BY HIS WIFE. SHE BROUGHT THEIR 18 MONTH OLD SON ... TO THE ALBANY POLICE DEPARTMENT. HE HAS PAINFUL BURNS ON HIS ARMS, LEGS, AND TORSO. WHITTMAN IS FACING CHARGES OF SECOND DEGREE ASSAULT ... AND CRIMINAL MISTREATMENT. THE LITTLE BOY WAS PLACED INTO PROTECTIVE CUSTODY.

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LENGTH-01:12 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THERE'S A DISORDER AFFECTING AN ESTIMATED EIGHT MILLION PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES RIGHT NOW... WITH ONE IN SEVEN OF THOSE AFFECTED LIKELY DYING

OF THE ILLNESS. I'M TALKING ABOUT EATING DISORDERS. EXPERTS SAY IT'S A SICKNESS, OFTEN TIMES FORCING A PERSON TO SUFFER IN SILENCE BECAUSE SO FEW PEOPLE TRULY UNDERSTAND THE DISORDER. BUT THERE'S A GROWING COMMUNITY ON THE WEB CLAIMING TO OFFER SUPPORT TO THOSE IN NEED. THEY CALL THEMSELVES PRO-ANOREXIA AND PRO-BULIMIA SITES... WEBSITES THAT NOT ONLY OFFER ACCEPTANCE OF EATING DISORDERS, BUT OF THEIR BEHAVIORS AS WELL. THEY OFFER TIPS ON HOW TO SKIP MEALS, HIDE WEIGHT LOSS FROM FAMILY... EVEN OFFER THOUSANDS OF PICTURES OF EMACIATED WOMEN AS INSPIRATION FOR THE PERFECT BODY. AND IT'S THESE WEBSITES THAT EXPERTS SAY ARE SPIRALING THOSE ALREADY SICK, AWAY FROM RECOVERY..."FOR SOMEONE WHO IS ALREADY IN A WEAKEND STATE, WHETHER SHE CAN ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SHE HAS ISSUES, AND SHE'S DOING HARMFUL THINGS TO HER BODY AND TO HAVE SOMEONE LIKE THIS PREY ON THAT IS ALMOST LIKE THE LOWEST OF THE LOW" I'LL TAKE A CLOSER LOOK AT HOW THESE WEBSITES ARE AFFECTING TEENS. HOW DAMAGING EXPERTS SAY THEY ARE TO ANYONE SUFFERING FROM AN EATING DISORDER, AND HOW CHANCES ARE, IF YOUR CHILD IS LOOKING AT THEM... YOU HAVE NO IDEA.

LENGTH-01:41 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-01:41

39 YEAR OLD TREESE LYNN CURTZER WANTED TO REJUVENATE AND REFRESH HER LOOK. SHE SAYS HER EYES WERE IN DESPERATE NEED OF A PICK-ME-UP. BUT, GIVEN HER HECTIC SCHEDULE SHE WAS CONCERNED THAT PLASTIC SURGERY WOULD SET HER BACK. "I AM A FLIGHT ATTENDANT AND I HAVE THREE SMALL CHILDREN SO I CAN'T AFFORD TO BE LAYING IN BED FOR A WEEK." DOCTORS DETERMINED THAT TREESE WAS A CANDIDATE FOR COSMETIC EYE SURGERY AND IN AN EFFORT TO HELP HER RECUPERATE MORE QUICKLY, THE NEW DIAMOND LASER SCALPEL WAS USED DURING THE PROCEDURE. "THE REAL ADVANTAGE FOR THE PATIENT IS THAT THE RECUPERATION, THE DIMINISHED BRUISING, THE DIMINISHED SWELLING ALLOWS A PATIENT TO GO BACK TO WORK ALMOST IMMEDIATELY, WE TAKE THE SUTURES OUT AT FOUR DAYS AND ALMOST IMMEDIATELY MOST PATIENTS ARE WALKING AROUND AND NO ONE EVEN KNOWS THEY HAD SURGERY." PLASTIC SURGEON, DR. SCOTT WELLS, USES A DIAMOND BLADE AND CO2 LASER ENERGY TO CUT AND INSTANTLY COAGULATE BLOOD VESSELS DURING SURGERY. "WE SAVE TIME BY MAKING A VERY SHARP INSTANTANEOUS CUT AND NOT HAVING TO DEAL WITH THE BLEEDING THAT SLOWS US DOWN DURING THE OPERATIVE TIME AND MORE IMPORTANTLY WE GET SUCH A CLEAN CUT MORE THAT REALLY THE HEALING IS MUCH QUICKER THAN WOULD BE EXPECTED WITH TRADITIONAL SCALPEL TECHNIQUE." LASER ENERGY IS DIRECTED THROUGH THE DIAMOND BLADE, WHICH IS FORTY TIMES SHARPER THAN A STEEL SCALPEL. THE DIAMOND IS THE ONLY SUBSTANCE KNOWN THAT CAN MAINTAIN COLD CONTACT SURFACE WHILE EFFECTIVELY TRANSMITTING LASER ENERGY. "TRADITIONAL SCALPELS ARE HONED LIKE A REGULAR KNIFE. IT'S ACTUALLY A SERRATED TOOTH LIKE EDGE, AND THIS CREATES SOME TISSUE DAMAGE AS IT IS DRAWN THROUGH THE TISSUE, BECAUSE DIAMONDS ARE SO DENSE THEY COULD BE HONED FORTY TIMES SHARPER AND THE EDGE IS A PERFECT EDGE, THERE ARE NO SERRATIONS AND IT ACTUALLY DANCES BETWEEN THE CELLS AS OPPOSED TO CARRYING THROUGH THEM ON A MICROSCOPIC LEVEL." TREESE SAYS SHE COULDN'T BE HAPPIER WITH HER RESULTS. "I NOTICED WHEN I WAKE UP IN THE MORNING I DON'T LOOK AS TIRED, I LOOK A LITTLE FRESHER."

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-6:00

THE SARASOTA COALITION ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE RECOGNIZING THOSE WHO HELP FIGHT THE PROBLEM ON THE SUNCOAST.. THE GROUP NAMING JUDGE ROBERT BENNETT ITS CITIZEN OF THE YEAR FOR HIS WORK IN OUR COURT SYSTEM.. DEALING WITH DRUG OFFENDERS.. THE EVENT'S KEYNOTE SPEAKER WAS JOURNALIST WILLIAM COPE MOYERS.. WHO PASSIONATELY SHARED HIS PERSONAL EXPERIENCE WITH SUBSTANCE ABUSE.. AND WHAT HE CALLS HIS LONG TERM RECOVERY.. YOU'LL HEAR FROM HIM.. TONIGHT AT 11.. I WAS HONORED TO SERVE AS EMCEE OF TODAY'S LUNCHEON.. MOYERS IS FROM MINNESOTA.. AND VERY HAPPY TO BE ON THE SUNCOAST TODAY

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

AN ELDERLY WOMAN FAKES A HEART ATTACK TO SCARE AWAY AN INTRUDER IN HER HOME. THE 80 YEAR OLD SAYS SHE WAS WATCHING THE SUPER BOWL ALONE ON SUNDAY WHEN SHE SPOTTED A MAN WALKING THROUGH HER HOUSE. HE APPROACHED HER AND STARTED PUSHING HER TOWARD THE BEDROOM. THAT'S WHEN SHE FAKED A HEART ATTACK AND SAID SHE NEEDED HER MEDICATION. THE MAN RAN OFF.. AND WAS LATER ARRESTED BY POLICE. POLICE LATER FOUND OUT HE WAS A CONVICTED SEX OFFENDER IN ALABAMA.

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LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

YEARS AGO, AS THE WORLD CAME TO RECOGNIZE THE HEALTH DANGERS OF SMOKING, MOST WESTERN NATIONS ADDED WARNINGS TO CIGARETTE PACKAGES. BUT NOT ALL WARNINGS ARE THE SAME. CANADA PUTS GRAPHIC PICTURES OF DISEASED LUNGS ON CIGARETTES. THE UNITED STATES ONLY HAS SMALL TEXT WARNINGS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN UPDATED SINCE 1984. RESEARCHERS SURVEYED ALMOST 15,000 SMOKERS IN THE US, THE UK, AUSTRALIA AND CANADA TO LEARN IF DIFFERENT KINDS OF LABELS HAD AN IMPACT. SMOKERS SAID THE PICTURES ON THE CANADIAN CIGARETTES MADE THEM THINK ABOUT QUITTING MOST OFTEN. CANADIAN SMOKERS WERE ALSO MORE LIKELY TO NOTICE ADVICE ON QUITTING. THE UPDATED BRITISH PACKAGES HAD FOUR TIMES AS MANY WARNINGS AS THE US BRANDS. UK SMOKERS NOTICED THE WARNINGS MORE THAN SMOKERS IN ANY OTHER COUNTRY. ON ALL MEASURES, THE US SMOKERS RANKED LAST ON AWARENESS OF CIGARETTE HAZARDS AND INTENTIONS TO QUIT. RESEARCHERS SAY US WARNINGS SHOULD BE MORE PLENTIFUL, AND TAKE UP MORE SPACE ON THE PACKAGE SO THAT SMOKERS CAN'T HELP BUT SEE THE MESSAGE.

LENGTH-01:42 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SHIRLEY SHUMAN IS A BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR. SHE KNOWS WHAT EARLY DETECTION, AND PREVENTITIVE MEDICINE IS ALL ABOUT. "I GO TO THE DENTIST EVERY 3 MONTHS FOR A CLEANING, AN EXAMINATION AND SO FAR IT HAS BEEN OK."

BUT WHILE YOU MIGHT NOT TYPICALLY THINK OF A VISIT TO THE DENTIST AS A CANCER SCREENING OPPORTUNITY...IT IS. JUST ABOUT EVERY DENTIST DOES AN ORAL CANCER EXAMINATION, PATIENTS ARE PROBABLY NOT AWARE OF IT." BUT THAT EXAM HAS BEEN FAR FROM PERFECT...UNTIL NOW. THE NEW VELSCOPE, RECENTLY CLEARED BY THE FDA, IS AN EASY, NONINVASIVE WAY TO DETECT EARLY ON ORAL, OR MOUTH CANCERS, BEFORE THEY GET TO THE ADVANCED STAGE. AND IT DOES IT USING WHAT APPEARS TO BE A FANCY FLASHLIGHT. "THE WAY THAT VELSCOPE WORKS IS BY A PROCEDURE KNOWN AS AUTOFLUORESCENCE. EVERY TISSUE IN THE MOUTH AND EVERYWHERE BODY ABSORBS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF LIGHT AND REFLECTS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF LIGHT BACK AT YOU. THE LIGHT THAT IS REFLECTED BACK AT YOU, IS THE COLOR THAT WE ACTUALLY PERCEIVE." NORMAL TISSUE REFLECTS BACK GREEN. ABNORMAL TISSUE HIDDEN IN THE DEEP LAYERS WHICH MAY BE CANCEROUS SHOWS UP BROWN TO BLACK. "IF WE FIND SOMETHING ABNORMAL, WE HAVE A CHECKLIST TO DETERMINE WHETHER WE BELIEVE IT IS MALIGNANT OR IF WE BELIEVE IS BENIGN. THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT MOST LESIONS FOUND IN PATIENTS MOUTHS ARE BENIGN. SO THE FACT THAT WE FIND SOMETHING DOESN'T MEAN THAT SOMEBODY NECESSARILY HAS CANCER." AND IF A CANCER IS SUSPECTED...A QUICK BIOPSY CAN BE DONE. "THE FIVE YEAR SURVIVAL RATE FOR ORAL CANCER IS ONLY ABOUT 50%. 50-50, AND THOSE ARE PRETTY BAD ODDS. IF ORAL CANCER IS CAUGHT EARLY, WE HAVE A SURVIVAL RATE OF 80 TO 90%." "EVERY DENTIST SHOULD HAVE THIS. THIS SHOULD BE THE STANDARD OF CARE." SHIRLEY, WHO USED TO BE A SMOKER, WHICH PUTS HER AT RISK FOR MOUTH CANCER, IS THANKFUL THIS TEST IS NOW AVAILABLE. "WELL IT SEEMED TO BE THOROUGH AND PAINLESS."AND THAT'S A PLEASURABLE TRIP TO THE DENTIST.

LENGTH-01:12 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

SOME CALL IT... THE "Z" FACTOR. THIS LATEST RESEARCH SHOWS... EVEN AMONG CHILDREN: MORE SLEEP... CAN MEAN LESS WEIGHT. THE STUDY FOLLOWED FOURTEEN-HUNDRED CHILDREN. THOSE ADDING JUST ONE HOUR OF SLEEP EACH NIGHT... WERE 20 PERCENT LESS LIKELY TO BE OVERWEIGHT FIVE YEARS LATER. "THIS APPEARS TO BE CONSISTENT WITH OTHER RESEARCH, ALL RELATIVELY NEW, SHOWING THE IMPORTANCE OF SLEEP ON WEIGHT CONTROL. AND IT'S NOT JUST FOR KIDS BUT FOR PEOPLE OF ANY AGE." SOME RESEARCHERS SAY IT'S NO COINCIDENCE THAT AMERICANS NOT ONLY WEIGH MORE. ... THEY ALSO SLEEP LESS... THAN PEOPLE IN ANY OTHER INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRY. MOS "I GET ANYWHERE BETWEEN SIX AND SEVEN HOURS A NIGHT, I WOULD LIKE TO GET ABOUT EIGHT." "I THINK I PROBABLY SHOULD HAVE ABOUT 8 HOURS OF SLEEP BUT, PROBABLY ON A NORMAL WORK WEEK I ONLY GET ABOUT SIX." NOT ENOUGH, PERHAPS, TO LOSE WEIGHT. MILLIONS OF AMERICANS STRUGGLE TO TRIM DOWN WITH EXERCISE AND DIET. BUT THE RESEARCH SUGGESTS MANY ARE BOUND TO FAIL... IF THEY DON'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP. "SLEEPING TOO LITTLE AND TRYING TO LOSE WEIGHT AT THE SAME TIME IS LIKE ROLLER-BLADING UPHILL." IN ONE, PIONEERING STUDY, WHERE VOLUNTEERS HAD THEIR SLEEP CURTAILED, LEVEL OF LEPTIN DROPPED 18%. AT THE SAME TIME... THEIR LEVELS OF GHRELIN... THE "HUNGER HORMONE"... ROSE 24 PERCENT. THE NET RESULT?"YOU'RE MORE HUNGRY, EVEN IF YOU HAVE THE SAME AMOUNT OF FOOD. SO YOU'RE MORE LIKELY TO OVER-EAT AND GAIN WEIGHT." THE GOOD NEWS, SAY RESEARCHERS: THE "Z FACTOR", A CRITICAL AND OVERLOOKED ELEMENT OF ANY WEIGHT LOSS PROGRAM... MAY ACTUALLY BE THE EASIEST.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

AN 18-YEAR OLD BOOKER HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT IS ACCUSED OF GETTING A GIRL DRUNK AND RAPING HER. SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY BLAKE ALEXANDER REED AND A FRIEND PICKED UP TWO UNDERAGE GIRLS LAST OCTOBER. THE 15-YEAR OLD VICTIM SAYS REED GAVE HER AN ENERGY DRINK MIXED WITH VODKA AND SHE PASSED OUT.. SHE TOLD DEPUTIES THAT WHEN SHE WOKE UP, REED WAS HAVING SEX WITH HER. HE WAS ARRESTED WEDNESDAY AND RELEASED ON BOND. REED WILL BE ARRAIGNED ON MARCH 30TH.

LENGTH-02:04 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-11:00

MOST OF US KNOW THEM AND LOVE THEM...THE CAST AND CREW OF GREY'S ANATOMY. FOR THOSE OF YOU HAVEN'T SEEN ONE OF TELEVISION'S MOST POPULAR SHOWS.. GREY'S ANATOMY IS A SHOW ABOUT SURGICAL INTERNS ... AND IT'S KNOWN FOR HAVING THE BEST LOOKING DOCTORS ON T-V. WE WANTED TO MEET SARASOTA'S REAL-LIFE VERSION OF GREY'S ANATOMY... SEE WHAT IT'S REALLY LIKE..."IF THAT WAS HOW OUR LIFE WAS, EVERYBODY WOULD BE GOING INTO MEDICINE." HERE, THE PACE IS A LITTLE SLOWER.. OUR CAST IS MADE UP OF FOURTH YEAR MEDICAL STUDENTS FROM FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY'S SARASOTA CAMPUS. STUDENTS DO ROTATIONS AT PLACES LIKE SARASOTA MEMORIAL....WHERE THEY STUDY WITH DR. STEVEN KAMM..."THE INCREDIBLE HIGHS AND LOWS THAT TAKE PLACE IN HALF AN HOUR WITH THE BIRTH OF A BABY FOLLOWED BY THE DEATH OF AN OLDER PERSON." AND THEY DO ROTATIONS AT THE PINES OF SARASOTA. I DIDN'T KNOW I WAS GOING TO BE ON TV." THESE STUDENTS TELL US THEY GET THE GREY'S ANATOMY COMPARISON QUESTION ALL THE TIME..."ESPECIALLY SINCE MY NAME IS IS SHEPHERD. I'LL BE DR. SHEPHERD - PEOPLE ASK ME ALL THE TIME IF I WATCH THE SHOW, AND IF IT'S LIKE THAT." DR. SHEPHERD... HE'S BETTER KNOWN AS DR. MCDREAMY TO GREY'S ANATOMY FANS.. BUT HEY, WE'LL SOON HAVE OUR OWN DR. HOTTIE.. MEET CHARLES HOTTE."FIRST TIME, MEETING A PERSON, I'VE DEFINITELY HEARD DR. HOT OR DR. HOTTIE." WE LOVE THE TANGLED LOVE LIVES OF MEREDITH, MCDREAMY, ADDISON, AND GEORGE..."WE TEND NOT TO DO THOSE THINGS. YOU GOTTA BE PROFESSIONAL IN THE FIELD OF MEDICINE." LIKE MOST FICTION, THEY HAVE TO BE MORE INTERESTING THAN REAL LIFE." BUT OUR CAST DOES OCASIONALLY DEAL WITH UNREQUITED LOVE...."YOU COMING BACK TONIGHT? I'M NOT COMING BACK. AHHH, SHOOT." MAYBE IT'S NOT THE DRAMA... THE INTENSITY OF THIS...BUT THERE'S PASSION HERE...IT'S JUST THAT IT'S PASSION TO ACTUALLY BE A DOCTOR. YOU HAVE TO HAVE A PASSION FOR IT OR ELSE YOU COULDN'T DO IT. IT'S A LONG CAREER, BUT I LOVE WHAT I DO."

FEBRUARY 9, 2007

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A 73-YEAR-OLD PORT CHARLOTTE, PICTURED HERE, IS ARRESTED AFTER A TIP TO THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN. CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES SAY ALAN DEFINE UPLOADED PICTURES OF NAKED CHILDREN IN SEXUAL SITUATIONS TO A WEBSITE.DEFINE IS NOW BEHIND BARS, CHARGED WITH 17-FELONY COUNTS OF POSSESSING CHILD PORNOGRAPHY.

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

YOU SEE THEM ALMOST EVERY DAY... HEADLINES TOUTING NEW MEDICAL RESEARCH, NEW DRUGS OR A POSSIBLE CURE, BUT THE HEAD OF THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH HAS A WARNING FOR THE PUBLIC. YOU HAVE TO BE CAREFUL. A LOT OF PEOPLE LOOK AT EARLY RESULTS AND JUMP TO CONCLUSIONS. DR. ELIAS ZERHOUNI SAYS MEDICAL RESEARCH IS A LONG PROCESS THAT CAN TAKE YEARS...SO IT'S IMPORTANT TO ASK THE RIGHT QUESTIONS. CHECK THE SOURCE, IS THE SOURCE, A SOURCE THAT IS INDEPENDENT, HIGH QUALITY, DOESN'T HAVE A REASON TO BENEFIT FROM THE INFORMATION THEY ARE GIVING YOU. THE NIH RECOMMENDS YOU ASK -- WHERE THE RESEARCH WAS DONE AND WHO'S PAYING FOR IT? -- DOES THE STUDY INCLUDE PEOPLE WITH A SIMILAR BACKGROUND AND HEALTH CONCERNS? -- WERE PEOPLE OR ANIMALS STUDIED? ANIMAL RESULTS OFTEN DO NOT TRANSLATE INTO SIMILAR HUMAN FINDINGS WHAT ARE THE SIDE EFFECTS? SOMETIMES THEY'RE AS SERIOUS AS THE DISEASE. DR. ZERHOUNI SAYS DO YOUR OWN RESEARCH, BUT BE CAREFUL WHERE YOU LOOK. WHEN YOU DO THE INTERNET SEARCHES AND YOU LOOK AT THAT INFORMATION, CHECK IT WITH YOUR DOCTOR, DON'T JUST BELIEVE EVERYTHING YOU HEAR. EDUCATING YOURSELF UP FRONT MAY HELP YOU STAY HEALTHIER IN THE LONG RUN.

LENGTH-00 25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

POLICE IN PENNSYLVANIA ARE LOOKING FOR A THIEF WITH A SWOLLEN HEAD -- LITERALLY..SURVEILLANCE VIDEO SHOWS THE BURGLAR BREAKING INTO A PIZZA RESTAURANT TO STEAL THE TIP JAR LAST MONTH. AS YOU CAN SEE.. THE CULPRIT BROKE THE GLASS IN ONE DOOR TO GET IN BUT APPARENTLY FORGOT WHICH ONE ON THE WAY OUT.. AND RAN HEAD-FIRST INTO THE *CLOSED* DOOR AS HE TRIED TO GET AWAY. THE RESTAURANT'S OWNER SAYS THE THIEF GOT AWAY WITH LESS THAN 30-BUCKS. BUT DID 800-DOLLARS IN DAMAGE. POLICE SAY HE'S STILL ON THE RUN -- ALTHOUGH HE MAY BE A BIT DIZZY.

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A WALT DISNEY WORLD EMPLOYEE WHO DRESSES AS THE CHARACTERS "GOOFY" AND "THE BEAST" FROM BEAUTY AND THE BEAST WAS ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF POSSESSING CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. POLICE SAY THEY GOT A TIP FROM THE ROOMMATES OF 20 YEAR OLD MATTHEW WEDLAND. INVESTIGATORS DO *NOT* BELIEVE WEDLAND TOOK THE PICTURES HIMSELF BUT THAT THEY WERE DOWNLOADED FROM THE INTERNET. "THIS GUY DOESN'T HAVE A CRIMINAL HISTORY. YOU CAN DO ALL THE CHECKING IN THE WORLD YOU WANT, ITS NOT GONNA SHOW UP ANYTHING. WE JUST LUCKED OUT AND SOMEONE SAW THESE IMAGES IN HIS BEDROOM AND HE WAS ABLE TO GET TO US. -- WEDLAND FACES 51-COUNTS OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. HE IS EXPECTED TO BE OUT ON BOND TODAY.

FEBRUARY 10, 2007

LENGTH-00:55 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

BURGLARS STRUCK AGAIN IN MANATEE COUNTY ...IN A STYLE VERY SIMILAR ... TO LAST WEEKEND ...WHEN 10 CARS WERE BROKEN INTO. DEPUTIES SAY 9 VEHICLES WERE BROKEN INTO ...IN BRADENTON ... BETWEEN 6:00 PM AND 7:45 PM. THREE WERE IN THE PUBLIX PARKING LOT ...ON 55TH AVENUE EAST. FOUR MORE WERE PARKED BY LIFESTYLES GYM ... AND THE BEALLS OUTLET ...ON 52ND PLACE EAST. ONE VEHICLE WAS BROKEN INTO AT THE CRACKER BARREL ON 67TH STREET CIRCLE EAST. AND ANOTHER IN THE WALMART PARKING LOT ...ON STATE ROAD 64 EAST. PURSES AND NAVIGATION SYSTEMS WERE TAKEN IN SOME VEHICLES. IN OTHERS ... - NOTHING WAS TAKEN. DEPUTIES BELIEVE ALL THE BURGLARIES ARE RELATED ... BECAUSE THE ALL THE DOOR LOCKS WERE POPPED OFF ...OR THE PASSENGER SIDE WINDOWS BROKEN OUT ...BY PRYING THE DOOR FRAME WITH A SCREWDRIVER. THERE WAS A SURVEILLANCE CAMERA OPERATING AT WALMART. INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING AT THAT FOOTAGE. DEPUTIES SAY THEY HAVE NO SUSPECTS AT THIS TIME.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

A CIRCLE K CONVIENCE STORE CLERK ...WAS ROBBED AT GUNPOINT EARLY THIS MORNING. IT HAPPENED ON 30TH AVENUE EAST IN BRADENTON. THE CLERK WAS BEHIND THE COUNTER ...WHEN A MAN POINTED A GUN AT HIM ... AND DEMANDED ALL THE CASH IN THE DRAWE THE CLERK HANDED OVER THE MONEY. THE ROBBER GOT AWAY ...HE WAS LAST SEEN RUNNING SOUTH ON 9TH STREET EAST. NO ONE WAS HURT.

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FEBRUARY 12, 2007

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

HARVARD IS NOW THE FOURTH IVY LEAGUE SCHOOL TO HAVE A WOMAN AT THE HELM. OVER THE WEEKEND HISTORIAN DREW GILPIN FAUST WAS SELECTED AS THE UNIVERSITY'S 28TH PRESIDENT. FAUST IS THE FIRST WOMAN PRESIDENT IN THE SCHOOL'S 371 YEAR HISTORY. SHE HAS BEEN DEAN OF HARVARD'S RADCLIFFE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY.

LENGTH-00:52 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE IS A FAST-GROWING PROBLEM IN THE UNITED STATES. MORE AND MORE, HOSPITALS ARE SEEING OTHERWISE HEALTHY PEOPLE SHOW UP WITH

INFECTIONS THAT ARE RESISTANT TO ANTIBIOTIC TREATMENT. THESE RESISTANT BACTERIA CAN EVEN CAUSE DEADLY ILLNESSES SUCH AS FLESH- EATING DISEASE. TODAY A NEW STUDY OFFERS THE MOST CONCLUSIVE PROOF YET THAT OVERUSE OF ANTIBIOTICS IS CONTRIBUTING TO THE RESISTANCE PROBLEM. RESEARCHERS TOOK HEALTHY VOLUNTEERS AND GAVE THEM ONE OF TWO DIFFERENT KINDS OF ANTIBIOTICS. AFTER JUST ONE COURSE OF TREATMENT, THE VOLUNTEERS SHOWED AN INCREASE IN BACTERIA IN THEIR MOUTHS THAT WERE RESISTANT TO THE SPECIFIC DRUGS THEY'D BEEN TREATED WITH. IN SOME CASES THE DRUG RESISTANT BACTERIA STAYED IN THE MOUTH FOR MORE THAN HALF A YEAR. THIS MEANS THAT EVERY TIME WE TAKE ANTIBIOTICS, WE ARE POTENTIALLY ADDING TO THE RESISTANCE PROBLEM AND WEAKENING THE DRUGS' OVERALL EFFECTIVENESS. ANTIBIOTICS ARE A VITAL MEDICAL TREATMENT, BUT PATIENTS SHOULD FIRST CHECK WITH THEIR DOCTOR TO BE SURE THEY REALLY NEED THEM. AND ALWAYS FINISH THE ENTIRE PRESCRIPTION TO REDUCE THE CHANCES OF RESISTANCE.

LENGTH-01:50 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WAYNE AND NORI DEMPSEY HAVE 2 CHILDREN AND A 3RD ON THE WAY. THEY HAVE BIG DREAMS OF SENDING ALL 3 TO COLLEGE, BUT THEY KNOW THAT WILL COME WITH A BIG PRICE TAG. WE PREDICT THAT MAYBE WE NEED ABOUT 250 THOUSAND DOLLARS PER CHILD. IT'S DAUNTING, IT'S EXTREMELY DAUNTING. IT'S VERY DIFFICULT TO GRASP YOUR MIND AROUND THE FACT THAT IT IS SO MUCH MONEY. TO REACH THEIR LOFTY GOAL, LAST YEAR THE DEMPSEY'S OPENED UP 529 COLLEGE SAVINGS ACCOUNTS FOR EACH CHILD. NAMED AFTER A SECTION OF THE TAX CODE, 529'S LET YOU PUT AWAY UP TO 12 THOUSAND DOLLARS PER YEAR, PER CHILD. THE MONEY CAN BE INVESTED IN THE STOCK MARKET AND GROW TAX FREE. IT IS EXTREMELY USEFUL BECAUSE IT IS A VEHICLE THAT ALLOWS YOU TO SET ASIDE DOLLARS FOR COLLEGE GET THAT MONEY INVESTED, HOPEFULLY IT WILL GROW OVER TIME AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO PAY INCOME TAXES (ENDS SLIGHTLY UP, BUT NOT THE END OF THE WORLD) (GFX HERE) IT IS THE BEST KEPT SECRET OF COLLEGE SAVINGS. OUR POLL FOUND ONLY 8 PERCENT OF PARENTS SAVING FOR COLLEGE ARE USING 529S. ONE REASON MAY BE CONFUSION. 49 STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFER THE PLANS. YOU CAN INVEST IN ANY STATE'S PLAN, NO MATTER WHERE YOU LIVE....AND IT DOESN'T MATTER WHERE YOUR CHILD DECIDES TO GO TO COLLEGE. THERE ARE LOTS AND LOTS OF CHOICES, AND SOMETIMES I THINK THERE ARE WAY TOO MANY CHOICES... AND IT MAKES IT CONFUSING TO A LOT OF PEOPLE AND THEREFORE SOME PEOPLE DON'T DO ANYTHING, BECAUSE THEY'RE OVERWHELMED BY WHAT TO DO AND AFRAID OF MAKING A WRONG CHOICE. THE DEMPSEY'S, WHO LIVE IN CALIFORNIA, CHOSE UTAH'S PLAN BECAUSE THEY LIKED THE MUTUAL FUNDS AVAILABLE. THERE ARE SEVERAL ADDITIONAL ADVANTGES TO 529S GRANDPARENTS CAN OPEN ACCOUNTS FOR THEIR GRANDKIDS --ACCOUNTS CAN BE TRANSFERED FROM ONE CHILD'S NAME TO ANOTHER --AND IF YOU NEED THE MONEY FOR OTHER REASONS, YOU CAN WITHDRAW IT WITH SMALL PENALTIES. THE PLANS OFFER THE MOST ADVANTAGES TO PEOPLE WITH A LOT OF MONEY--THEY GET THE MOST TAX SAVINGS. BUT THE STATES ARE TRYING TO BRING IN LOWER INCOME INVESTORS AS WELL 529S MORE AND MORE ARE BEING USED BY LOWER AND MIDDLE INCOME PEOPLE AS WELL //BECAUSE YOU CAN OPEN THESE ACCOUNTS WITH AS LITTLE AS 50 DOLLARS. FOR THE DEMPSEY'S THE 529'S GIVE THEM PEACE OF MIND. IF YOU HAVE IT IN THE 529 PLAN, THEN IT'S AWAY AND OUT OF THE WAY. IT'S KIND OF A MINI RETIREMENT PLAN TO PAY FOR YOUR OWN KIDS EDUCATION. 250 THOUSAND DOLLARS A PIECE MIGHT NOT BE SO MINI...BUT IT IS A PLAN THAT COULD WORK.

THE WOMEN IN IRAN AT THE AGE OF 15 GET TO VOTE. THEY DRIVE. THEY HOLD OFFICE - FOUR PERCENT OF SEATS IN PARLIAMENT ARE FEMALE AND MORE THAN HALF THE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ARE WOMEN. AND WOMEN MAKE UP MORE THAN 30% OF IRAN'S WORKFORCE. THERE IS NO HINDRANCES AS FAR AS I AM CONCERNED FOR ANY WOMAN TO DO ANYTHING SHE WANTS AS LONG AS SHE IS CAPABLE OF DOING IT. YET WESTERNERS ARE FIXED ON THE LAW THAT REQUIRES THAT EVERY WOMAN - INCLUDING FOREIGNERS - MUST WEAR A HIJAB IN PUBLIC THAT FULL COVERING OF THE HEAD. WE NOTICED EVEN SKIING AT A POPULAR RESORT, THE WOMEN HAVE TO NAVIGATE THE IMPOSSIBLE. AND IN THE STREETS WOMEN ALSO COVER UP TO THE KNEES -- THOUGH WE NOTICED THE HEMLINES ARE VARYING - EVEN CREEPING HIGHER - IN THE CITY SHE PULLS UP THE HEM ABOVE HER KNEE - DIANE SAYS "THAT'S OK TOO? REALLY?" -- DIANE POINTS AT HER MID THIGH AND SAYS "YOU CAN HAVE IT UP HERE, NOT HERE" AND EVERY SINGLE WOMAN WE ASKED SAID IT'S A TRADITION THEY REALLY DON'T MIND. A YOUNG WOMAN TELLS US IT MAKES HER FEEL SAFE, CONFIDENT, MODEST. "DO YOU LIKE WEARING IT?" AND THE WOMAN NODS ENTHUSIASTICALLY)) AND OF COURSE IT STRETCHES BACK THROUGH MUSLIM CENTURIES - AND JUDEO- CHRISTIAN ONES, TOO - THE BIBLE SAYS WOMEN SHOULD COVER THEIR HEADS CAN YOU DISTINGUISH BETWEEN -CATHOLIC NUNS - AND MUSLIM WIVES AND MOTHERS. YET IF YOU'VE READ AZAR NAFISI'S NOVEL "READING LOLITA IN TEHRAN" YOU KNOW, BENEATH THOSE VEILS -- PAINTED FINGERNAILS, DYED HAIR, WESTERN-STYLE CLOTHES AND DREAMS OF ROMANCE. IN THE STORE WINDOWS -- THE LATEST FASHIONS, THE RACY LINGERIE PEOPLE ARE BROUGHT IN THE WEST BEING FED THIS MEDIA CRAP - THINK THAT WE ARE IMPRISONED WE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE HOUSE - WE HAVE TO COVER OURSELVES ONLY OUR EYES SHOULD BE OUT. WE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO GO ANYWHERE - YOU KNOW WRONG PICTURES. BUT MAKE NO MISTAKE, STRONG AS THEY ARE, IRANIAN WOMEN HAVE A BATTLE TO WAGE. OUT IN THE COUNTRYSIDE, HUMAN RIGHTS GROUPS SAY WOMEN CAN PUBLICLY STONED TO DEATH, MAHNAZ AFKHAMII//PRESIDENT OF WOMENS LEARNING PARTNERSHIP & FOUNDATION// A WOMAN IS HALF OF A MAN, WOMEN CANNOT HAVE GUARDIANSHIP OF HER CHILDREN A WOMEN DOES NOT HAVE RIGHT TO DIVORCE EQUAL TO MEN A WOMAN CANNOT LEAVE THE COUNTRY WITHOUT PERMISSION OF HER HUSBAND, //, ALL OF THESE AND MANY MANY OTHER. 29 YEAR OLD PARISA BELONGS TO AN UNDERGROUND ACTIVIST GROUP HERE IN TEHRAN - SHE IS GOING DOOR-TO-DOOR AND IN CAFES, COLLECTING 1 MILLION SIGNATURES FOR WOMEN'S RIGHTS. THEIR WEBSITE SHUT DOWN NEARLY EVERYDAY ((SOT FROM WOMENS/HUMANS RIGHTS PERSON THEY ARE SO VERY MODERN AND SO VERY CONNECTED TO THE REST OF THE WORLD AND SO ANXIOUS FOR RIGHTS AND SO CONSCIOUS OF THE IMPORTANCE OF ACHIEVING THOSE RIGHTS AND THE TWO ARE JUST WORLDS APART, WHAT THEY HAVE AND WHAT THEY WISH FOR. ONE THING IS CERTAIN: YOU CANNOT JUDGE A WOMAN HERE BY HER COVER. IN THE BAZAAR, I SEE A WOMAN IN FULL CHADOR. IT TURNS OUT, SHE SPEAKS ENGLISH, IN FACT SHE TRAVELLED TO NEW JERSEY. SHE TELLS ME SHE PREFERS IRAN TO NEW JERSEY BECAUSE THE TELEVISION IN MUCH MORE WHOLESOME FOR CHILDREN. DID YOU LIKE IT? YES. WOULD YOU LIKE TO LIVE THERE? RIGHT NOW, NO. I LIKE IRAN BECAUSE IT IS MY COUNTRY. WE LOOK AT THE BEAUTIFUL FABRICS AND BEFORE I GO SHE SAVES ME FROM BUYING A FABRIC I THINK IS A HEAD SCARF. BUT IN FACT IT'S FOR THE TABLE. SO HERE WE ARE IN THIS COMPLICATED CITY OF 12-15 MILLION WORKERS - WHERE WOMEN RUN BUSINESSES. EVEN BANKS AND AS ALWAYS THE TRUTH OF A CULTURE DOES NOT TRAVEL A STRAIGHT LINE THE TRUTH AS THE WEST SEES IT THE TRUTH IRANIAN WOMEN SAY THEY KNOW. PLEASE BY ALL MEANS COME TO IRAN AND STAY HERE FOR A WHILE AND LEARN FOR YOURSELF HOW IT IS.

LENGTH-01:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

PEOPLE WHO PLAYED ACTION VIDEO GAMES FOR A FEW HOURS A DAY OVER THE COURSE OF A MONTH IMPROVED BY ABOUT 20 PERCENT IN THEIR ABILITY TO IDENTIFY LETTERS ON A STANDARD EYE CHART. THE AUTHORS SAY ACTION VIDEO GAME PLAY CHANGES THE WAY OUR BRAINS PROCESS VISUAL INFORMATION. AFTER JUST 30 HOURS, PLAYERS SHOWED A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN THE SPATIAL RESOLUTION OF THEIR VISION, MEANING THEY COULD SEE FIGURES LIKE THOSE ON AN EYE CHART MORE CLEARLY, EVEN WHEN OTHER SYMBOLS CROWDED IN. THE AUTHORS SAY WHEN PEOPLE PLAY ACTION GAMES, THEY'RE CHANGING THE BRAIN'S PATHWAY RESPONSIBLE FOR VISUAL PROCESSING. THESE GAMES PUSH THE HUMAN VISUAL SYSTEM TO THE LIMITS AND THE BRAIN ADAPTS TO IT. PERHAPS, PEOPLE WITH VISUAL DEFICITS, SUCH AS AMBLYOPIC PATIENTS, MAY ALSO BE ABLE TO GAIN AN INCREASE IN THEIR VISUAL ACUITY WITH SPECIAL REHABILITATION SOFTWARE THAT REPRODUCES AN ACTION GAME'S NEED TO IDENTIFY OBJECTS VERY QUICKLY. LONELY INDIVIDUALS MAY BE TWICE AS LIKELY TO DEVELOP THE TYPE OF DEMENTIA LINKED TO ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE IN LATE LIFE AS THOSE WHO ARE NOT LONELY, ACCORDING TO AN ARTICLE IN THE FEBRUARY ISSUE OF ARCHIVES OF GENERAL PSYCHIATRY. RISK FOR DEVELOPING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE INCREASED APPROXIMATELY 51 PERCENT FOR EACH POINT ON THE LONELINESS SCORE, SO THAT A PERSON WITH A HIGH LONELINESS SCORE HAD ABOUT TWICE THE RISK OF DEVELOPING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE THAN A PERSON WITH A LOW SCORE. TWO NEW STUDIES HAVE REVEALED THAT POSSIBLY, VITAMIN D COULD HELP PREVENT UP TO HALF OF THE CASES OF BREAST CANCER AND TWO-THIRDS OF THE CASES OF COLORECTAL CANCER IN THE UNITED STATES. INDIVIDUALS WITH THE LOWEST BLOOD LEVELS HAD THE HIGHEST RATES OF BREAST CANCER, AND THE BREAST CANCER RATES DROPPED AS THE BLOOD LEVELS OF 25-HYDROXYVITAMIN D INCREASED. INDIVIDUALS WITH THE HIGHEST BLOOD LEVELS OF VITAMIN D HAD THE LOWEST RISK OF BREAST CANCER. THE SERUM LEVEL ASSOCIATED WITH A 50 PERCENT REDUCTION IN RISK COULD BE MAINTAINED BY TAKING 2,000 INTERNATIONAL UNITS OF VITAMIN D3 DAILY PLUS, WHEN THE WEATHER PERMITS, SPENDING 10 TO 15 MINUTES A DAY IN THE SUN." THE COLORECTAL CANCER STUDY, PUBLISHED ONLINE IN THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PREVENTIVE MEDICINE, FOUND THAT SAME INTAKE WOULD PRODUCE A TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION IN INCIDENCE OF COLON CANCER.

LENGTH-01:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

'YOU NEED TO RE-ENGAGE YOUR RIGHT ARM...' TINY ROBOTIC FINGERS ARE MOVING PRECISELY AROUND THIS WOMAN'S HEART. 'THERE IT IS, I'LL GET IT...' METAL HANDS MANIPULATED BY THE ACTUAL SURGEON, WHO SITS SEVERAL YARDS AWAY. AND IF ALL GOES WELL, THIS MOTHER OF THREE WILL BE BACK TO WORK IN A COUPLE WEEKS. 'WE DON'T CRACK THE CHEST, WE DON'T CUT THE BONE, WE DON'T HAVE TO REWIRE IT BACK TOGETHER.' FOR THE LAST SIX MONTHS, RENE LEPAGE HAS BEEN EXHAUSTED. 'I WOULD COME HOME, MAKE DINNER SIT DOWN AND I WOULD BE ASLEEP!' BUT SHE'S A WORKING MOM WITH 3 TEENAGERS ...AND CHALKED IT UP TO THAT. 'I THINK WOMEN TEND TO RATIONALIZE, SAY YOU KNOW ...I'M A LITTLE TIRED BUT I GUESS I HAVE REASON TO BE TIRED. SO I NEVER REALLY THOUGHT IT WAS A PROBLEM.' A DOCTOR'S VISIT FOUND THE PROBLEM: RENE'S HEART VALVE WAS DAMAGED ...AND COULD POSSIBLY FAIL. SHE OPTED FOR SURGERY ...USING A RELATIVELY NEW BUT MINIMALLY INVASIVE SYSTEM CALLED DA VINCI. IT WAS

INITIALLY DEVELOPED TO ALLOW MILITARY DOCTORS TO REMAIN IN THEIR CITY AND OPERATE ON WOUNDED SOLDIERS MILES AWAY. 'EVEN THE STEADIEST SURGEON HAS SLIGHT VIBRATIONS IN HIS HANDS. THE DA VINCI CORRECTS FOR THAT SHAKING ALLOWING FOR MORE PRECISION THAN IS HUMANLY POSSIBLE.' IT'S AS IF OUR HANDS AND OUR WRISTS ARE INSIDE THE CHEST WALL OF THE PATIENT. SO THE COMBINATION OF 3-D VISION PLUS BETTER FLEXIBILITY OF THE INSTRUMENTS GIVES US DRAMATICALLY BETTER CONTROL. RENE LOOKS FORWARD TO HAVING THE ENERGY OF A 48-YEAR OLD, INSTEAD OF SOMEONE 20 YEARS OLDER. SO MANY PEOPLE DEPEND ON YOU, ESPECIALLY IF YOU'RE A MOM. YOU'RE RUNNING AROUND...BUT YOU'RE REALLY NOT GOOD TO ANYONE IF YOU'RE NOT IN GOOD HEALTH.' THANKS TO THIS SURGERY, SHE SHOULD BE JUST FINE

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

IT STARTED HERE AT US 301 AND AMSTERDAM AVE IN MANATEE COUNTY "IT WAS A HIT AND RUN" TROOPER SAY RICHARD GARST HIT THE ROAD AND HEADED NORTH ON 301...MINUTES LATER HE CRASHED AGAIN. "A WITNESS FOLLOWED HIM AND SAW THE SECOND CRASH AND HE THEN CALLED 911" BUT GARST WAS GONE AGAIN. THIS TIME HE DID COME BACK...2 HOURS LATER AND TROPPERS SAY HE'S BEEN DRINKING, BUT GARST ISN'T FACING ANY DUI CHARGES "THERE WAS A 2 HOUR DELAY SO TECHNICALLY YOU COULD SAY HE WENT HOME AFTER THE CRASH AND STARTED DRINKING BECAUSE HE WAS UPSET AND THEN RETURNED TO THE SCENE LATER" MAKING IT TOUGH TO PROVE HE WAS DRUNK DURING EITHER ACCIDENT. TROOPERS SAY ITS A FRUSTRATING LOOPHOLE, GARST LIKELY KNEW ABOUT... AS FOR HIS EMPLOYMENT WITH THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE.. HIS DAYS AS A ROAD DEPUTY ARE NOW OVER..."HE RESIGNED WITH US THIS MORNING, HE'S NO LONGER A MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY"

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LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WE'RE STILL WAITING FOR NEW INFORMATION ABOUT LAST NIGHT'S DEADLY MALL SHOOTING IN SALT LAKE CITY. FIVE PEOPLE WERE KILLED, INCLUDING THE GUNMAN. IT HAPPENED AT THE TROLLEY SQUARE MALL WHERE THE MAN OPENED FIRE. FRIGHTENED SHOPPERS RAN FOR COVER UNDER STAIRCASES. POLICE EVENTUALLY SHOT AND KILLED THE MAN. AGAIN, FIVE OTHERS WERE KILLED. AT LEAST FOUR OTHERS WOUNDED, THREE OF THEM CRITICALLY. POLICE HAVE YET TO ESTABLISH A MOTIVE.

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

POLICE IN PHILADELPHIA SAY AN ARGUMENT OVER MONEY MAY HAVE TRIGGERED A SHOOTING AT A BUSINESS MEETING LAST NIGHT. A GUNMAN KILLED THREE PEOPLE AND CRITICALLY WOUNDED A FOURTH IN WHAT POLICE ARE CALLING AN APPARENT

MURDER-SUICIDE. HE THEN TOOK HIS OWN LIFE AT THE OLD PHILADELPHIA NAVY YARD.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MIDDAY NAPPING IS COMMON IN MEDITERRANEAN COUNTRIES, WHICH ALSO TEND TO HAVE LOWER RATES OF HEART DISEASE. SO RESEARCHERS WONDERED: COULD THE SIESTA SOMEHOW BE HELPING TO KEEP HEARTS HEALTHY? DOCTORS EXAMINED OVER 23,000 PEOPLE IN GREECE WHO HAD NO HEART PROBLEMS AT THE START OF THE STUDY. OVER THE NEXT SIX YEARS, THEY FOUND THAT PEOPLE WHO TOOK REGULAR NAPS HAD A LOWER RISK OF HEART-RELATED DEATH COMPARED TO NON-NAPPERS. THOSE WHO TOOK A MIDDAY NAP AT LEAST 3 TIMES PER WEEK HAD A 37 PER CENT LOWER RISK OF HEART DEATH. WORKING MEN APPEARED TO GET THE MOST BENEFIT FROM NAPS. TOO FEW WOMEN DIED DURING THE STUDY TO BE ABLE TO ASSESS IF THEY RECEIVED A SEPARATE BENEFIT. THE RESEARCHERS SPECULATE THAT NAPPING MAY IMPROVE HEART HEALTH BY REDUCING STRESS. AND AMERICANS COULD USE THE EXTRA SLEEP - WE AVERAGE ABOUT 7 HOURS PER NIGHT INSTEAD OF THE RECOMMENDED 8. MOST PEOPLE CAN'T TAKE DAILY NAPS, BUT THOSE WHO CAN SHOULDN'T FEEL GUILTY ABOUT GRABBING A LITTLE SHUT EYE - YOUR HEART WILL THANK YOU.

LENGTH-01:52 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

CANCER...THE SECOND LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH IN AMERICA. FINDING A CURE...ONE THAT COULD EFFECTIVELY TREAT NUMEROUS CANCERS, IF NOT ALL OF THEM, IS INDEED THE HOLY GRAIL."AS AN ONCOLOGIST WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR A WAY TO IMPROVE THE WAY IN WHICH WE TREAT CANCER. THAT GETS US VERY EXCITED PARTICULARLY IF THERE IS A NOVEL MECHANISM OF ACTION WHICH WE THINK IS HAPPENING WITH DCA." DCA...DICHLOROACETIC ACID...A CHEMICAL USED THAT WAS ACCIDENTALLY DISCOVERED TO KILL CANCER CELLS...OR RATHER, CAUSE CANCER CELLS TO KILL THEMSELVES. "IT IS A VERY SMALL MOLECULE, TINY MOLECULE, HAS THE STRUCTURAL SIMILARITIES TO VINEGAR." YET, SOMETHING SO SIMPLE DOES SOMETHING QUITE COMPLEX. IT WAKES UP THE MITOCHONDRIA IN CANCER CELLS...THE NORMAL ENERGY PRODUCING AREA OF THE CELLS, BUT SHUT OFF IN CANCER CELLS...THE MITOCHONDRIA APPEAR TO BE ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR SOMETHING CALLED APOPTOSIS...WHICH MEANS, NORMAL CELL DEATH.IN OTHER WORDS, CANCER CELLS THAT DON'T EVER WANT TO DIE, WILL DIE NORMALLY IN THE PRESENCE OF DCA. THE EFFECT WAS FIRST SEEN IN HUMAN BREAST, LUNG AND BRAIN CANCER CELLS IN A TEST TUBE. "AND WE INJECT THEM IN RATS THAT DO NOT HAVE AN IMMUNE SYSTEM. AND THE HUMAN CANCER CELLS KEEP GROWING IN THE BODY OF THE RAT AS THEY WOULD IN A HUMAN BEING SO THEN WE GIVE THE RATS THE DCA, THEY DRINK IT AND WE SHOW THE TUMOR STOPS GROWING AND IT SHRINKS." THE EFFECT SEEN IN THESE IMAGES OF A TUMOR...BEFORE AND AFTER DCA. DCA IS SMALL...SO IT CAN PENETRATE ALL THE TISSUES. IT'S ALREADY AVAILABLE. IT'S GIVEN BY MOUTH, NOT IV. AND IT'S ALREADY SHOWN TO BE SAFE IN HUMANS. "WE CAN BE A LITTLE OPTIMISTIC AND MOTIVATED TO MOVE IT TO CLINICAL TRIALS IMMEDIATELY , WHICH IS WHAT WE ARE TRYING TO DO." BUT WORD HAS GOTTEN OUT TO PATIENTS...MANY ARE SEEKING THE DRUG...EVEN THOUGH IT HASN'T BE TESTED IN HUMANS YET."THE EARLY IN FORMATION REFERRING TO DCA WHICH IS DICHLOROACETIC ACID IS VERY INTRIGUING BUT I WANT VIEWERS TO KEEP IN MIND

THAT THIS IS IN PRE-CLINICAL OR EARLY PHASE TESTING. SOMETIMES THE DRUGS THAT SEEM POST PROMISING GIN A TEST TUBE OR MOUSE MODELS JUST DO NOT COME TO FRUITION."

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A CHARLOTTE COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT IS BUSTED FOR CARRYING 18-HUNDRED DOLLARS IN FUNNY MONEY.. THE SECRET SERVICE SHOWED UP THIS WEEK AT PUNTA GORDA MIDDLE TO TALK TO THE 15-YEAR OLD.. THEY CONFISCATED 13-COUNTERFEIT 100-DOLLAR BILLS, AND DOZENS OF FAKE 20 AND 10 DOLLAR BILLS.. THE BOY CLAIMS HE GOT THEM FROM ANOTHER CHILD AT A BUS STOP. HE'S CHARGED WITH A FELONY COUNTERFEITING.. AND WAS RELEASED FROM THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL TO HIS PARENTS.

LENGTH-01:16 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:00

DRAMATIC INCREASES IN FATAL DRUG OVERDOSES...ALMOST DOUBLING IN THIS COUNTRY... THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL REVIEWED DEATH CERTIFICATES FROM 1999 TO 2004 AND FOUND A SPIKE IN OVERDOSES LED BY WHITE FEMALES, YOUNG PEOPLE AND SOUTHERNERS. THE REPORT'S AUTHOR: SOME OF THE INCREASE WE KNOW IN THE 1990S WAS DUE TO COCAINE SOME TO HEROIN BUT REALLY OVERALL IN THE LAST 10 OR 15 YEARS ITS THE PRESCRIPTION DRUGS THAT ARE DRIVING THIS DRAMATIC INCREASE. CDC RESEARCHERS SUSPECT SEDATIVES AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS LIKE OXYCONTIN AND VICODIN. THEY THINK THAT'S WHY THE OVERDOSE RATE FOR WOMEN, IN PARTICULAR, MORE THAN DOUBLED. WOMEN ARE MORE LIKELY TO BE PRESCRIBED A NARCOTIC BY THEIR DOCTOR...AND MORE LIKELY TO ABUSE IT. MIDDLE AGED MEN ARE STILL THE MOST LIKELY TO DIE OF A DRUG OVERDOSE... BUT ... WOMEN ARE CLOSING THE GAP. AND ACCORDING TO THE CDC, DEADLY OVERDOSES AT LEAST DOUBLED IN 23 STATES...SPIKING IN RURAL AREAS AND THE SOUTH... UP AN ASTONISHING 550 PERCENT IN WEST VIRGINIA... MEANWHILE, FATAL DRUG OVERDOSES IN TEENAGERS SOARED 113 PERCENT... THE BROADEST NEWEST DEVELOPMENT IN SUBSTANCE ABUSE IN AMERICA IS THE INTENTIONAL ABUSE OF MEDICINE. IT'S GONE FROM SUBSET TO WHOLE TIER OF ABUSE. LOWER THAN MARIJUANA, BUT HIGHER THAN HEROIN, COCAINE AND ECSTASY. HE SAYS AMONG ADOLESCENTS AND TEENS, HE SAYS, THERE IS A GROWING BELIEF THAT THIS KIND OF DRUG ABUSE IS SOMEHOW SAFER. WHICH MAY EXPLAIN WHY MORE YOUNG PEOPLE ARE OVERDOSING, AT THE SAME TIME THE GOVERNMENT REPORTS DECLINING DRUG USE FOR TEENS. IN GENERAL, DRUG USE IS DECLINING BUT AN ESTIMATED 19 AND A HALF MILLION AMERICANS USE ILLEGAL DRUGS EVERY MONTH....

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

ANOTHER NEW REPORT SHOWS THAT UP TO 20-PERCENT OF WOMEN WHO DEVELOP LUNG CANCER... NEVER SMOKED THAT'S ACCORDING TO RESEARCHERS AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY. NOW RESEARCHERS ARE TRYING TO FIND OUT *WHY* NON-SMOKIER WOMEN GET LUNG CANCER IN GREATER NUMBERS. ONLY 8-PERCENT OF MALE LUNG CANCER PATIENTS ARE NONSMOKERS. RESEARCHERS SURVEYED A

MILLION PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES AND SWEDEN. THE REPORT WAS PUBLISHED IN THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL ONCOLOGY

LENGTH-01:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

THIS IS ONE OF THE LATEST PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM PEOPLE FOR THE ETHICAL TREATMENT OF ANIMALS... OR PETA...IT'S ABOUT CHAINING YOUR DOG UP OUTSIDE. AND IT'S A MESSAGE BRADENTON POLICE SAY 36 YEAR OLD COREY GIBBS NEVER GOT. IT ALL STARTED WITH AN ANONYMOUS TIP...POLICE AND MANATEE COUNTY ANIMAL CONTROL INVESTIGATORS WERE TOLD THEY SHOULD GO VISIT GIBBS HOUSE. THEY SAY WHAT THEY FOUND WAS DISTURBING."THERE WAS ONE DOG THAT WAS ALREADY DEAD AND ANOTHER ONE THAT WAS BASICALLY A SKELETON." POLICE SAY GIBBS HAD TWO PIT BULL PUPPIES...THAT LOOKED SIMILAR TO THIS. POLICE SAY BOTH PUPPIES WERE FOUND CHAINED UP IN THE YARD OUTSIDE. "THERE WAS NO FOOD OR WATER NEAR THE LIVING OR NEAR THE DEAD DOG.THEY WERE NOT BEING PROVIDED WITH FOOD OR WATER OR SHELTER, SIMPLY CHAINED TO A TREE AND LEFT TO DIE." GIBBS WAS ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH TWO COUNTS OF ANIMAL CRUELTY. AND NOW FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER, PETA'S NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS IS GETTING INVOLVED IN A CASE HERE ON THE SUNCOAST. PETA STAFF SENT A LETTER TO STATE ATTORNEY EARL MORELAND URGING THAT IF GIBBS IS CONVICTED, IN ADDITION TO SERVING A PERIOD OF INCARCERATION, HE BE REQUIRED TO UNDERGO A THOROUGH PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATION."IT DOESN'T TAKE A GENIUS TO KNOW YOU SHOULD PUT OUT FRESH FOOD AND WATER EVEN IF HE'S IN YOUR BACKYARD, EVEN IF THAT'S ALL YOU CAN GIVE HIM." PETA'S DAN PADEN SAYS ALTHOUGH THE ALLEGATIONS AGAINST GIBBS ARE HARD TO HEAR, HE'S NOT THE ONLY PERSON SUSPECTED OF LEAVING THEIR DOG CHAINED UP OUTSIDE.IT'S COMMON. IT'S SADLY VERY COMMON."

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A DRUG BUST AT THE MOST UNUSUAL PLACE..FIVE EMPLOYEES AND THE OWNER OF A FUNERAL HOME ARRESTED TODAY IN OKLAHOMA. THEY'RE ACCUSED OF DISTRIBUTING METHAMPHETAMINE, MARIJUANA AND PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION.. THE ARRESTS CAME AFTER A YEAR-LONG INVESTIGATION.

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LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

13-YEARS AGO SOMEONE SET A VENICE MAN ON FIRE AS HE SLEPT ON FORT MYERS BEACH. THE MAN, IDENTIFIED AS 25-YEAR OLD ANDY MCLENON LATER DIED FROM HIS BURNS. POLICE HAVE YET TO MAKE ANY ARRESTS IN CONNECTION WITH HIS DEATH. HIS MOTHER CONTINUES TO SEARCH FOR ANSWERS. LEE COUNTY DETECTIVES BELIEVE ON FEBRUARY 13TH, 1994.. THE FORMER VENICE HIGH STUDENT PASSED OUT ON THIS WOODEN DECK OUTSIDE THE LANI HI HOTEL ON FORT MYERS BEACH. WHEN SOMEONE APPARENTLY DOUSED HIS BODY WITH FUEL AND SET HIM ON FIRE. WITH 85 PERCENT OF HIS BODY BADLY BURNED, HE DIED ABOUT FIVE AND A HALF WEEKS

LATER. HIS MOTHER DOESN'T WANT ANYONE TO FORGET. "I'M ANGRY YES I AM. I'M ANGRY BECAUSE IT'S BEEN 13-YEARS AND I DONT KNOW ANYTHING.NOT THAT IT'S GOING TO BRING ANDY BACK BUT IT'S GOING TO HELP KNOW THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT STILL OUT THERE." A WITNESS SAYS SHE SAW THREE MEN RUNNING FROM THE SCENE THAT FATEFUL NIGHT.HIS MOTHER IS HOPING SOMEONE MAY COME FOREWARD WITH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES HAVE ARRESTED A SUSPECT IN A SERIES OF BURGLARIES IN ENGLEWOOD. DEPUTIES SAY 39-YEAR OLD KENNETH DUPERRON IS CONNECTED TO A SERIES OF BREAK-INS AND BURLGARIES OF MORE THAN A DOZEN BUSINESSES, HOMES AND VEHICLES. THE CRIMES OCCURRED FROM LAST AUGUST THROUGH JANUARY. DEPUTIES ARRESTED THE MAN IN ROTONDA WEST, WHERE THEY ALSO FOUND TWO TRUCK LOADS OF STOLEN GOODS.

LENGTH-01:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SEVEN YEARS AGO, WHEN SHE WAS JUST 53, JUDY FEIN HAD A HEART ATTACK. BUT LIKE MANY WOMEN, JUDY NEVER EVEN THOUGHT ABOUT HER HEART. AMAZINGLY, NEITHER DID HER DOCTOR. "I SMOKED THAT WAS A PROBLEM.. A LOT...A PACK AND A HALF A LOT!"SHE ALSO HAD HIGH CHOLESTEROL."MY DAD IS ALSO A PERSON WHO HAD A HEART ATTACK AT A YOUNG AGE.""WE KNOW THAT HYPERTENSION, SMOKING DIABETES, HIGH CHOLESTEROL FAMILY HISTORY OF HEART DISEASE WERE THE PREDOMINANT FACTORS THAT PREDICT WHETHER YOU WILL HAVE A HEART ATTACK OR HEART DISEASE."ALL THOSE RISK FACTORS...AND WHAT DID HER DOCTOR THINK?"IT JUST DIDN'T CROP UP AS AN ISSUE. THERE WAS NOTHING YOU COULD HEAR, UNLESS SOMEBODY SAYS GEE, AS A REGULAR TEST IN ALL MY PATIENTS I'LL HAVE THEM DO A TEST TO SEE IF THEY HAVE HEART DISEASE."THIS ON-LINE TOOL FOR WOMEN MAY BE THAT TEST.IT'S CALLED THE REYNOLDS RISK SCORE. IT ADDS TO THE TRADITIONAL RISK FACTORS A NON-TRADITIONAL ONE...THE C-REACTIVE PROTEIN.IT ALSO SIMPLIFIES FAMILY HISTORY CRITERIA TO A HISTORY OF HEART ATTACK IN A PARENT BEFORE THEY REACHED AGE 60.OVERALL, IT IS A MORE ACCURATE PREDICTIVE TEST THAN WHAT WE'VE HAD.PUNCH IN YOUR AGE, BLOOD PRESSURE, CHOLESTEROL NUMBERS, THAT C-REACTIVE PROTEIN, AND YOUR FAMILY HISTORY, AND YOU'LL FIND OUT YOUR RISK.JUDY'S RISK AT THE TIME OF HER HEART ATTACK WAS 9 PERCENT.SHE COULD HAVE SEEN BELOW WHAT SHE COULD HAVE DONE TO LOWER THE RISK...STOPPING SMOKING ALONE WOULD HAVE LOWERED IT TO 4 PERCENT. "PRIMARY CARE DOCTORS SHOULD BE USING THIS IN THEIR OFFICE TO DECIDE WHO TO SEND ON TO A CARDIOLOGIST." THE TOOL HAS DIRECT IMPACT ON WHO NEEDS FOCUSED TREATMENT TO PREVENT A HEART ATTACK. "WE KNOW THAT HIGH RISK WOMEN NEED TO BE TREATED AGGRESSIVELY. TO LOWER CHOLESTEROL TO TAKE ASPIRIN, TO REALLY MODIFY ALL THEIR RISK FACTORS." JUDY WAS TREATED ONLY AFTER THE DAMAGE WAS DONE...AFTER THE HEART ATTACK...BUT SHE DID TAKE ACTION TO PREVENT FURTHER HEART DAMAGE. "I STOPPED SMOKING, NOT HAPPILY BUT I DID IT ANYWAY."BUT IT PROBABLY HAS SAVED HER LIFE.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

RESEARCHERS HAVE FOUND ANOTHER POSSIBLE USE FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA. A NEW STUDY IN THE JOURNAL OF NEUROLOGY FOUND IT SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCES NERVE PAIN IN PATIENTS SUFFERING FROM HIV OR AIDS. 50 PATIENTS SMOKED EITHER MARIJUANA OR PLACEBO CIGARETTES THREE TIMES A DAY FOR FIVE DAYS. THE MARIJUANA SMOKERS HAD A 34 PERCENT REDUCTION IN CHRONIC NERVE PAIN COMPARED TO 17 PERCENT WITH THE PLACEBO.

LENGTH-01:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

THIS IS THE KNIFE NATHANIEL SMELSER SAYS HE USED TO CUT THE SHIRT OFF HIS FRIEND 67 YEAR OLD DANIEL RAMSEY WHILE TRYING TO ADMINISTER CPR. DEPUTIES SAY RAMSEY HAD BEEN SHOT ONCE IN THE CHEST."I COULD TELL DAN WAS HURT REALLY, REALLY BADLY AND I COULD TELL HE WASN'T GOING TO MAKE IT." BUT SMELSER SAYS RAMSEY FOUGHT TO SURVIVE."TOOK ONE GASP OF AIR, THE MAN DIED IN MY ARMS RIGHT THERE IN HIS FRONT YARD." DEPUTIES SAY RAMSEY HAD TAKEN HIS WIFE OUT TO LUNCH FOR VALENTINE'S DAY. WHEN THEY GOT HOME, THEY SAW TWO BURGLARS COMING OUT OF THEIR HOUSE. NEIGHBORS SAY THE RAMSEY'S HOUSE HAD BEEN BURGLARIZED BEFORE."THIS TIME HE WASN'T GOING TO PUT UP WITH IT." SO DEPUTIES SAY RAMSEY GRABBED A KNIFE FROM HIS TRUCK AND THREW IT AT THE BURGLARS. BUT ONE OF THE BURGLARS HAD A GUN. DEPUTIES SAY RAMSEY WAS KILLED RIGHT IN FRONT OF HIS WIFE. "I CAN'T THINK OF ANYTHING WORSE HAPPENING TO A COUPLE. THIS IS JUST UNBELIEVABLE." "IT'S BROAD DAYLIGHT, AND VALENTINE'S DAY. IT'S CRAZY." TIFFANY TURNER SAYS SHE WORKED FOR YEARS WITH DANIEL AT MANATEE COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION."WE ALL LOVED AND CARED ABOUT HIM. HE WAS KIND OF STERN AND ROUGH. HE WAS A GOOD GUY.IT'S NOT FAIR." NEIGHBORS SAY THEY HAD AN IDEA OF WHO HAD DONE THIS. "THERE'S BEEN A COUPLE OF GUYS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD THAT DON'T FIT. AND FROM WHAT I UNDERSTAND, THE CAR THEY WERE DRIVING, I'VE SEEN IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD THE PAST TWO WEEKS.""I DIDN'T THINK THEY'D KILL SOMEBODY, NO IT'S KINDA SCARY." DEPUTIES FOUND THE SUSPECTS CAR OUTSIDE THE HOUSE IN PALMETTO, BUT THEY FOUND ONLY ONE OF THE SUSPECTS. 18 YEAR OLD MICHAEL LEON WALKER. DEPUTIES SAY HE'S NOT THE ONE WHO PULLED THE TRIGGER. THEY SAY THE MAN WHO KILLED RAMSEY, THE MAN WHO MADE RAMSEY'S WIFE A WIDOW ON VALENTINE'S DAY IS STILL OUT THERE."I CAN'T IMAGINE WHAT SHE'S GOING THROUGH. WE'RE GOING TO TRY TO GET TOGETHER AND GET SOME STUFF FOR HER AND HELP HER AS MUCH AS WE CAN."

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LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TWO BRANDS OF PEANUT BUTTER ARE BEING LINKED TO AN OUTBREAK OF SALMONELLA POISONING. THE CDC SAYS IT MAY INVOLVE AS MANY AS 300 CASES IN 39 STATES. THE F-D-A IS WARNING THE PEOPLE NOT TO EAT "PETER PAN" OR "GREAT VALUE" BRAND PEANUT BUTTER WITH THE PRODUCT CODE NUMBER 2-1-1-1. THE LARGEST NUMBER OF CASES WERE REPORTED IN NEW YORK, PENNSYLVANIA,

VIRGINIA, TENNESSEE AND MISSOURI. AGAIN, THERE'S A RECALL ON JARS OF PETER PAN OR GREAT VALUE BRAND PEANUT BUTTER WITH THE PRODUCT CODE 2-1-1-1.

LENGTH-00:53 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A WAY TO YOUR VALENTINE'S HEART MAY BE TO GIVE A GIFT THAT IS GOOD FOR THE HEART...SOME EXPERTS SUGGEST DARK CHOCOLATE FITS THE BILL. CHOCOLATES WITH HIGHER COCOA CONTENT HAVE ANTIOXIDANT COMPOUNDS CALLED FLAVONOIDS. FLAVONOIDS ARE SO GOOD FOR US BECAUSE THEY'VE BEEN SHOWN TO HELP REDUCE THE RISK OF HEART DISEASE, THEY HELP DECREASE CLOT FORMATION. OTHER STUDIES SUGGEST A SMALL SERVING OF DARK CHOCOLATE MIGHT LOWER BLOOD PRESSURE AND REDUCE INSULIN RESISTANCE. BUT EXPERTS WARN CHOCOLATE IS NO MIRACLE DRUG AND SHOULD NEVER TAKE THE PLACE OF MEDICINE. WE HAVE TO REMEMBER THAT IT'S NOT A HEALTH FOOD, WE HAVE TO MAKE SURE THAT WE ENJOY IT IN MODERATION, IT DOES CONTRIBUTE CALORIES AND FAT. LARGE AMOUNTS OF CHOCOLATE, ESPECIALLY THOSE WITH ADDED NUTS AND FILLINGS, CAN INCREASE THE RISK FOR OBESITY, DIABETES AND TOOTH DECAY. MOORE POINTS OUT THAT FLAVONOIDS ARE ALSO FOUND IN APPLES, GRAPES, RED WINE AND GREEN TEA. BUT IF YOU CAN'T RESIST THE TASTE, A LITTLE BIT OF DARK CHOCOLATE MIGHT BE JUST WHAT YOUR DOCTOR ORDERS.

LENGTH-01:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SO WHAT DOES A BROKEN HEART FEEL LIKE TO YOU? "IT ACTUALLY IS A PHYSICAL EXPERIENCE YOUR BODY DOES FEEL LIKE IT IS IN PAIN ALL AROUND." "FEELING REALLY SICK AND DEPRESSIVE AND WANTED TO THROW UP THINGS LIKE THAT, AWFUL." "I WAS PHYSICALLY A WRECK FOR OVER A WEEK, AND EMOTIONALLY DISTRAUGHT." A BROKEN HEART CAN BE MORE THAN JUST A PERIOD OF SADNESS... MANY PEOPLE GO THROUGH A PERIOD OF MOURNING. "YOU GO THROUGH GRIEF SIMILAR TO WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU SUFFER A LOSS. // IMAGINE SOMEBODY YOU LOVE DIES, AND IT'S A VERY COMPARABLE FEELING." IT CAN HAVE, IN SOME INSTANCES, VERY REAL PSYCHOLOGICAL AND PHYSICAL CONSEQUENCES. ONE CAN HAVE A CHANGE IN SLEEPING HABITS, APPETITE CHANGES... OVER OR UNDEREATING... AND EVEN HEART CHANGES. "WELL UM I WOULD SAY IF SOMEBODY GETS INTO DEPRESSION, WHICH IS NOT UNUSUAL AFTER YOUR HEART IS BROKEN, UM ITS ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT THINGS THAT YOU HAVE TO GO OVER. // 0730 HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE YOU TO GET OVER A BROKEN HEART? 07:50 UH I WOULD SAY A YEAR, TYPICALLY." AND ACCORDING TO CARDIOLOGIST RUSSELL BERDOFF, THAT PSYCHOLOGICAL UPSET CAN DIRECTLY AFFECT ONE'S PHYSICAL HEALTH. "IT CAUSES CONSTRICTION OF THE BLOOD VESSELS BECAUSE OF THE ANGER AND HOSTILITY EMOTIONS, UH THERE'S A FLIGHT OR FIGHT TYPE REACTION THAT CAN INCREASE BLOOD CLOTTING AND INCREASE CHOLESTEROL, HEART RATE AND BLOOD PRESSURE GO UP AND THOSE ARE ALL UH EVENTS THAT HAVE AN ADVERSE EFFECT ON THE CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM." BUT WHETHER YOUR CONCERN IS PSYCHOLOGICAL OR PHYSICAL, THE APPROACH IS THE SAME. "YOU SHOULD BE DOING IS EXERCISING A LOT, EXERCISE IS GREAT FOR DEPRESSION AND ALSO FOR ELIMINATING NEGATIVE FEELINGS BECAUSE IT BRINGS UP ENDORPHINS AND EUPHORIA WHICH IS ASSOCIATED WITH THAT." "PETTING YOUR DOG OR CAT LOWERS YOUR HEART RATE AND BLOOD PRESSURE MEASURABLY." AND DON'T BE ALONE!! "YOU HAVE TO HAVE YOUR SOCIAL CALENDAR PLANNED AS MUCH AS YOU POSSIBLY ON THE OTHER HAND

UH IF YOU STAY IN BED A LOT NOT SEE PEOPLE AND DRINK, THAT IS GOING TO LEAD TO SERIOUS TROUBLE."

LENGTH-01:39 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

46 YEAR OLD STACIE GREENBERG ADMITS THAT SHE COMPLETELY NEGLECTED HER TEETH FOR YEARS."I WAS BRUSHING MY TEETH AND WHEN I WENT TO SPIT OUT AND RINSE THERE WAS BLOOD, AND I HAD BEEN FEELING A LITTLE DISCOMFORT AND PAIN WHEN I WAS CHEWING."WITH MUCH RESISTANCE, STACIE FINALLY VISITED A DENTIST WHO DIAGNOSED HER WITH SEVERE GUM DISEASE. SHE NOW FOLLOWS A STRICT DENTAL HYGIENE REGIMEN TO PREVENT ANY FURTHER DAMAGE. "THE MOUTH IS THE WINDOW TO THE BODY, AND WE ARE STARTING TO FIND THAT IT IS ALL VERY CONNECTED, AND PEOPLE CAN'T JUST DISMISS IT AS--OH IT IS MY MOUTH, IT DOESN'T MATTER, I ALWAYS TOLD MY PATIENTS IF THEY BLEED FROM ANY OTHER PART OF THEIR BODY LIKE THEY DO FROM THEIR GUMS THEY WOULD BE IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM IN A MOMENT." IN ADDITION TO CURRENT RESEARCH THAT HAS REVEALED A LINK BETWEEN PANCREATIC CANCER AND GUM DISEASE, PERIODONTAL DISEASE HAS BEEN SHOWN TO HAVE DIRECT CORRELATION WITH HEART DISEASE, DIABETES, OSTEOPOROSIS, LOW BIRTH WEIGHT AND PREMATURE BIRTHS. "GUM DISEASE HAPPENS WHEN BACTERIA THAT IS NORMALLY IN THE MOUTH ATTACHES TO THE TOOTH, THE PLAQUE OR CALCULUS TARTER, WHICH IS HARDENED PLAQUE, IT IS A DISEASE PROCESS, IT ENDS UP CAUSING GUMS TO BLEED EASILY, IT AFFECTS THE BONES, THEY START TO EAT AWAY AT THE BONES, AND THE GUMS THEMSELVES, PERMANENT TEETH BECOMES LOOSER, AND PATIENTS MIGHT START NOTICING A BAD TASTE OR ODOR THAT IS PERSISTENT." SCIENTISTS HAVE ALSO DISCOVERED A CONNECTION BETWEEN BONE DENSITY IN THE MOUTH AND THE REST OF THE BODY. "THROUGH A JAPANESE STUDY THEY NOW DEVELOPED A SOFTWARE PROGRAM WHERE THEY WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE A DENTAL X-RAY AND PUT IT THROUGH A COMPUTER PROGRAM AND ACTUALLY BE ABLE TO PREDICT IF OSTEOPOROSIS IS TAKING PLACE." SOME PATIENTS WITH GUM DISEASE CARRY SPECIFIC PROTEINS IN THEIR BLOOD WHICH MAY SIGNAL HEART DISEASE. "C-REACTIVE PROTEINS THESE CAUSE INFLAMMATION ESPECIALLY IN THE BLOOD VESSELS, AND INFLAMED BLOOD VESSELS LEAD TO HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ATHEROSCLEROSIS AND COULD ALSO END UP LEADING TO STROKE."

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

AN 18-YEAR OLD OAK PARK STUDENT IS CHARGED WITH ASSAULT AND USING RACIAL SLURS AGAINST A SCHOOL WORKER.. SARASOTA COUNTY DEPUTIES SAY JOHN RENTSCHLER REFUSED TO BE SEARCHED AT SCHOOL TODAY.. EVEN THOUGH ALL THE OTHER STUDENTS WERE BEING SEARCHED. WHEN RENTSCHLER WAS APPROACHED BY A SCHOOL WORKER.. DEPUTIES SAY HE PUSHED HIM AWAY AND USED A RACIAL SLUR. HE'S THEN ACCUSED OF PUNCHING THE WORKER.. OAK PARK IS A SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS..

LENGTH-01:03 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

CONAGRA FOODS OF IRVINE HAS ISSUED A VOLUNTARY RECALL OF ALL VARIETIES OF IT'S PETER PAN PEANUT BUTTER AND GREAT VALUE PEANUT BUTTER BRANDS THAT HAVE THE PRODUCT CODE OF 211 STAMPED ON IT. THAT CODE IS LOCATED EITHER ON TOP OF THE CONTAINER OR THE SIDE OF THE JAR . FEDERAL HEALTH OFFICIALS FEAR THESE PEABUT BUTTER BRANDS COULD BE LINKED TO SALMONELLA OUTBREAK THAT HAS SICKENED NEARLY 300 PEOPLE IN AT LEAST 39 STATES INCLUDING CALIFORNIA SINCE AUGUST. THEY SAY MORE THAN 50 SICKENED HAVE HAD TO BE HOSPITALIZED BUT NONE HAS DIED. SALMONELLA IS A FOOD BORN ILLNESS. SOT:MICHELE "THEY CAN DEVELOP SYMTOMS OF FEVER, DIAHREARRA. AND SOMETIMES ABDOMINAL PAIN AND USUALLY THOSE SYMTOMS GO AWAY GO THEIR OWN. THEY CAN BE MORE SEVERE ESPECIALLY IN INFANTS WHO HAVE IMMUNE PROBLEMS. HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY THIS IS FIRST SAMONELLA OUTBREAK ASSOCIATED WITH PEANUT BUTTER IN US HISTORY. THEY ARE INVESTIGATING HOW THE FOOD BORN ILLNESS GOT INTO THE PEANUT BUTTER. HEALTH OFFICIALS IN LOS AGELES AND ORANGE COUNTY SAY THEY HAVE NO REPORTED CASES OF ASSOCIATED WITH THE OUTBREAK THEY WANT LOCAL RESIDENTS TO TAKE PRECAUTIONS NOT EAT THE BRANDS OF PEANUT BUTTER THAT COULD BE LINKED TO THE SCARE. WHILE THE SAMONELLA OUTBREAK HAS BEEN OUT SINCE AUGUST THEY ONLY LINKED IT TO PEANUT BUTTER DAYS AGO. SOT:MICHELE "THEY ARE RECOMMENDING THAT PEOPLE WITH THE TAINTED PRODUCT THROW IT AWAY ANMD NOT EAT IT."

FEBRUARY 16, 2007

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A SUBWAY FASTFOOD RESTAURANT IS ROBBED AT GUNPOINT IN BRADENTON. THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORTS, A MAN ENTERED THE SUBWAY IN THE 6000 BLOCK OF 26TH STREET WEST AROUND 9 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT. DEPUTIES SAY THE SUSPECT JUMPED BEHIND THE COUNTER, POINTED A BLACK REVOLVER AT THE TWO WORKERS AND DEMANDED MONEY. THE SUSPECT ALSO TOOK THE VICTIM'S WALLETS BEFORE QUICKLY FLEEING THE SCENE. ITS NOT KNOWN HOW MUCH MONEY WAS TAKEN.

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR IN CONNECTICUT HAS BEEN CHARGED IN A PLOT TO BOMB HIS SCHOOL. POLICE SAY THE 16-YEAR-OLD WAS MAKING BOMBS, WHICH HE INTENDED TO USE AGAINST HIS CLASSMATES AT NEWINGTON HIGH SCHOOL. THE PLOT WAS UNCOVERED THROUGH A VIDEO SHOWN YOU TUBE. THE BOY IS BEING HELD ON A-HALF (M) MILLION-DOLLAR BOND..

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

LAST YEAR, THE U.S. CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL OFFICIALLY RECOMMENDED THAT CHILDREN AGED 6 MONTHS TO FIVE YEARS GET THE ANNUAL FLU VACCINE. STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THAT YOUNG CHILDREN ARE HOSPITALIZED FOR FLU JUST AS OFTEN AS THE ELDERLY. NOW NEW RESEARCH MAY OFFER A BETTER, MORE KID-FRIENDLY SOLUTION TO THE FLU SHOT - AN INHALED FLU VACCINE. THE NASAL VACCINE, MARKED AS FLUMIST, IS ALREADY AVAILABLE TO ADULTS AND KIDS OLDER THAN 5 YEARS. NOW A NEW STUDY SHOWS IT'S SAFE AND EFFECTIVE FOR BABIES AND VERY YOUNG CHILDREN. DOCTORS VACCINATED MORE THAN 8000 BABIES AND YOUNG KIDS AND FOUND THAT FLUMIST WAS BETTER AT PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM THE FLU THAN THE USUAL SHOT. KIDS WHO GOT THE FLUMIST VACCINE WERE HALF AS LIKELY TO GET THE FLU. PLUS, WITH NO NEEDLE, FLUMIST IS AN ATTRACTIVE ALTERNATIVE FOR PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN. THE STUDY DID FIND A HIGHER RISK OF HOSPITALIZATION IN INFANTS UNDER 1 YEAR, SO THE AUTHORS CONCLUDE FLUMIST SHOULD BE LIMITED TO CHILDREN 1 YEAR AND OLDER

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A NORTH PORT MAN IS BEHIND BARS ON CAPITAL SEXUAL BATTERY CHARGES AFTER ASSAULTING A FOUR YEAR OLD GIRL. ACCORDING TO CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S MAJOR CRIMES DETECTIVES 56-YEAR-OLD WILFREDO ORTIZ VEGA WAS ARRESTED AFTER THE BROTHER OF THE FOUR-YEAR-OLD SAW VEGA INNAPPROPRIATELY TOUCHING HIS SISTER IN THEIR PORT CHARLOTTE HOME. DETECTIVES SAY VEGA ASKED THE BOY NOT TO TELL ANYONE BUT HE IMMEDIATELY CALLED HIS PARENTS TO REPORT WHAT HE SAW. VEGA HAS ADMITTED TO THE CRIME AND IS BEING HELD AT THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL WITHOUT BOND.

LENGTH-02:03 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

"I WOULD JUST GET REALLY BAD STOMACH ACHES, LIKE HORRIBLE CRAMPING." LISA GILBAR IS JUST LIKE THE MILLIONS OF AMERICANS WHO ARE LACTOSE INTOLERANT... IN OTHER WORDS, THEY CAN'T NORMALLY DIGEST DAIRY PRODUCTS. IT HAPPENS WHEN THE SMALL INTESTINE STOPS PRODUCING LACTASE...THE ENZYME THAT DIGESTS THE MILK PROTEIN LACTOSE. THEN, LISA FOUND OUT ABOUT THIS...LACTAGEN...A NEW PRODUCT THAT CLAIMS TO ESSENTIALLY CURE PEOPLE OF THEIR LACTOSE INTOLERANCE. IT CONTAINS LACTOBACILLUS ACIDOPHILUS, A BACTERIA THAT CAN DIGEST LACTOSE...FOUND IN MANY DAIRY PRODUCTS LIKE YOGURT. IT ALSO CONTAINS SUGARS USED TO PRIME AND TRAIN THE BACTERIA TO GROW AND DIGEST LACTOSE. LACTAGEN'S CLAIM: USE THE POWDER FOR 38 DAYS...AND YOUR DAYS OF AVOIDING MILK PRODUCTS ARE OVER...OR YOU GET YOUR 149.99 REFUNDED THROUGH A MONEY BACK GAURANTEE. DR. CHRIS LANDEN IS A PEDIATRIC LUNG SPECIALIST AND MEDICAL TALK SHOW HOST IN CALIFORNIA WHO LED THIS STUDY ON LACTAGEN. HE SAYS, HE HIMSELF WAS SKEPTICAL AT FIRST. BUT NOT AFTER THE STUDY WAS COMPLETED."AT THE END OF THE STUDY PERIOD AND IN THE MONTHS FOLLOWING, THERE WAS A SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE IN TERMS OF THE SYMPTOMS THAT REALLY MATTERED TO A PATIENT: THE FLATULENCE, DIAREHHA, STOMACH DISCOMFORT, LOUD INTESTINAL NOISES AND SO FORTH." "THIS IS IN FACT ONE STUDY. IT DOES DEMONSTRATE A DIFFERENCE, BUT I WOULD NOT DRAW ANY CONCLUSIONS BASED ON THIS ALONE. "THIS WAS DONE IN A PROPER FASHION AND I THINK WE HAVE VERY BELIEVABLE RESULTS." DR. LANDEN SAYS, THE BENEFITS WILL PERSIST 90 DAYS OUT. BUT THE CEO OF THE COMPANY PUSHES THIS

MUCH FURTHER. "PEOPLE WHO HAVE TAKEN IT 10 YEARS AGO ARE STILL SYMPTOM-FREE TODAY."DR. BERNSTEIN DOESN'T BUY THAT. "THESE BACTERIA CANNOT SURVIVE FOR A LONG TIME INSIDE THE GI TRACK, AND THEY HAVE TO BE TAKEN ON A REGULAR BASIS IF THEY ARE GOING TO MAINTAIN THEIR BENEFICIAL EFFECTS. THIS IS NOT A PRODUCT THAT YOU CAN TAKE FOR A LIMITED PERIOD OF TIME, STOP, AND THEN CONTINUE TO DERIVE THE BENEFIT THAT THEY ARE PROPOSING YOU WOULD GET FROM THE PRODUCT." STILL, LISA SWEARS BY IT...AT THE END OF THE PROGRAM...SHE DRANK A FULL GLASS OF MILK. "SINCE THEN I HAVE BEEN ABLE TO EAT PIZZA AND ICE CREAM AND CHEESE AND ALL MY FAVORITE FOODS. IT HAS BEEN A YEAR AND NO SIDE EFFECTS NOTHING, IT IS SUPPOSED TO BE FOR LIFE AND SO FAR IT IS."

LENGTH-01:29 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

TODAY --MIKE MENZEL IS A TYPICAL 15 YEAR OLD.. BUT AT 9 HE WAS DIAGNOSED WITH CHILDHOOD LEUKEMIA AND ENDURED RADIATION AND CHEMOTHERAPY - TREATMENTS PROVEN THROUGH YEARS OF CLINICAL TRIALS. IT IS A RESULT OF THE PREVIOUS CLINICAL TRIALS, THEY HAD A WAY TO ATTACK THIS, THEY HAD A STRATEGY, A PROTOCOL. TERRY FARRER IS FIGHTING BREAST CANCER -- AND IS PARTICIPATING IN HER SECOND CLINICAL TRIAL THE TRIALS HAVE GIVEN ME A REASON FOR LIVING, THEY HAVE GIVEN ME HOPE FOR THE FUTURE. BUT THE GROUP THAT ENROLLS NEARLY HALF OF ALL CANCER PATIENTS IN CLINICAL TRIALS IN THE U.S. -- HAS SEEN ITS FEDERAL FUNDING SLASHED .. FROM \$162 MILLION IN 2002.. TO JUST 130 MILLION IN 2007. THAT MEANS THIS YEAR AS MANY 95 CLINICAL TRIALS COULD BE POSTPONED OR CANCELED, ELIMINATING SPOTS FOR 3000 CANCER PATIENTS. IT'S VERY FRUSTRATING, IT'S VERY FRUSTRATING. IT'S VERY DISAPPOINTING. DR. GREGORY REAMAN OVERSEES THE PEDIATRIC CANCER TRIALS IT THINK IT WILL COST LIVES. AND I THINK THAT IS WHAT UH PEOPLE ON CAPITOL HILL WHO MAKE DECISIONS ABOUT THE FEDERAL BUDGET NEED TO UNDERSTAND. THIS WILL COST LIVES. SO RESEARCHERS AND DOCTORS ARE MAKING HEART WRENCHING DECISIONS - WHICH TRIALS WILL GO FORWARD, WHICH WILL NOT - THOSE MOST AFFECTED - TRIALS FOR SARCOMA - CANCER OF A SOLID TISSUE, SUCH AS BONE & MUSCLE RARE CHILDHOOD TUMORS HEAD AND NECK CANCERS AND MELANOMA SKIN CANCER. DOCTORS WHO RUN THE CLINICAL TRIALS SAY THE IMPACT WILL BE FELT FOR YEARS. THE IMPROVEMENTS THAT WE MAKE, AND THE THINGS THAT WE LEARN IN THOSE CLINICAL TRIALS BECOME THE STANDARD THERAPIES THAT ARE MORE EFFECTIVE FOR THE NEXT GENERATION OF PATIENTS TO COME. RESEARCHERS SAY THE CUTS COME AT A CRITICAL TIME - WHEN CANCER DEATHS ARE DROPPING - A TREND THEY WANT TO SEE CONTINUE.

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN EXCITING NEW TEST BEING ROLLED OUT IN DENTIST'S OFFICES THAT COULD HAVE A HUGE IMPACT ON MOUTH CANCER...SOMETHING THAT HITS AROUND 30,000 AMERICANS EACH YEAR.THE NEW VELSCOPE, RECENTLY CLEARED BY THE FDA, IS AN EASY, NONINVASIVE WAY TO DETECT MOUTH CANCERS EARLY, BEFORE THEY GET TO THE ADVANCED STAGE. AND IT DOES SO BY USING WHAT APPEARS TO BE A FANCY FLASHLIGHT."THE WAY THAT VELSCOPE WORKS IS BY A PROCEDURE KNOWN AS AUTOFLUORESCENTS. EVERY TISSUE IN THE MOUTH AND EVERYWHERE BODY ABSORBS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF LIGHT AND REFLECTS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF LIGHT BACK AT YOU. THE LIGHT THAT IS REFLECTED BACK AT YOU , IS THE COLOR THAT WE

ACTUALLY PERCEIVE." NORMAL TISSUE REFLECTS BACK GREEN. ABNORMAL TISSUE HIDDEN IN THE DEEP LAYERS WHICH MAY BE CANCEROUS SHOWS UP BROWN TO BLACK. IF A CANCER IS SUSPECTED... A QUICK BIOPSY CAN BE DONE. HOPEFULLY, THIS DEVICE WILL INCREASE THE FIVE YEAR SURVIVAL RATE OF ORAL CANCER FROM 50 TO PERHAPS 90 PERCENT.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

WE HAVE SURVEILLANCE PICTURES OF THE MAN MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY ROBBED A FIFTH-THIRD BANK IN BRADENTON YESTERDAY. TAKE A LOOK AT THESE... DEPUTIES SAY THIS MAN WALKED INTO THE BANK ON 26TH STREET WEST, JUST BEFORE 12:30. HE DIDN'T SHOW A WEAPON, BUT HE HANDED THE TELLER A NOTE DEMANDING MONEY. THE TELLER GAVE THE MAN 200-DOLLARS AND THE MAN TOOK OFF. DEPUTIES SAY HE MAY HAVE LEFT IN A RED DODGE PICKUP TRUCK, DRIVEN BY A WOMAN.

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

ANOTHER SALMONELLA RECALL TONIGHT..DOLE RECALLING MORE THAN SIX-THOUSAND CARTONS OF IMPORTED CANTALOUPE. THEY WERE DISTRIBUTED TO WHOLESALERS IN THE EASTERN U-S AND CANADA BETWEEN FEBRUARY FIFTH AND EIGHTH. SO FAR.. THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ILLNESS..

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

A WARNING IF YOU BUY PRESCRIPTION PILLS ON THE INTERNET. DOUBLE CHECK WHAT YOU GET IN THE MAIL. FEDERAL HEALTH OFFICIALS WARN SOME SHOPPERS WHO THOUGHT THEY'D BOUGHT SLEEP AIDS AND ANTIDEPRESSANTS.. WERE INSTEAD SHIPPED A POWERFUL ANTI-PSYCHOTIC. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE PILLS WERE PACKAGED IN PLAIN PLASTIC BAGS AND MAILED IN ENVELOPES THAT HAD GREEK POSTMARKS. SEVERAL PEOPLE HAD TO SEEK EMERGENCY TREATMENT FOR BREATHING PROBLEMS AND MUSCLE SPASMS..

FEBRUARY 17, 2007

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-LATE

SOME PEOPLE BELIEVE THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.. CAN BE FOUND IN NORTH PORT. EVERY DAY.. 9-MILLION GALLONS OF PURE MINERAL WATER ...FLOWS THRU WARM MINERAL SPRINGS IN NORTH PORT. THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE TRAVEL THERE FROM AROUND THE WORLD ...NOT ONLY FOR IT'S BEAUTY..BUT ALSO FOR IT'S SO CALLED HEALING POWERS..THAT'S BECAUSE THE WATER AT THE SPRING HAS MORE MINERAL CONTENT ...THAN ANY OTHER SPRING IN THE UNITED STATES. THE THIRD MOST IN THE WORLD."FOR THE POWER OF THE MINERAL COMPOSITION IN THE WATER AND

FOR THE POWER OF THE THERAPEUTIC HEALING OPPORTUNITIES I DON'T KNOW OF ANY OTHER WATER....AND IT HAPPENS TO BE LOCATED IN SOUTH SARASOTA COUNTY." CARBON DATING OF HUMAN REMAINS FOUND NEAR THE SPRING..DATE BACK 10-THOUSAND YEARS. SCIENTISTS BELIEVE THEY ARE SOME OF THE OLDEST REMAINS ...EVER FOUND IN AMERICA. IF YOU WANT TO ENJOY THE SPRING.. IT'S OPEN SEVEN DAYS A WEEK FROM 9 TO 5. ADMISSION VARIES FROM EIGHT TO TWENTY DOLLARS PER PERSON..

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NOTHING

FEBRUARY 19, 2007

LENGTH-00:35 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TWO BRADENTON RESIDENTS ARE RECOVERING THIS MORNING AFTER BEING ROBBED AND ASSAULTED AT GUNPOINT YESTERDAY.MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY THE VICTIMS WERE STOPPED AT A STOP SIGN IN THE 6600 BLOCK OF 66TH AVENUE WEST IN BRADENTON EARLY SUNDAY MORNING WHEN THEY SAY A MALE DRESSED IN BLACK OPENED THE DRIVER-SIDE DOOR AND DEMANDED THAT THEY HAND-OVER THEIR ITEMS.DEPUTIES SAY THE VICTIMS AGREED, THE DRIVER WAS THEN CUT ACROSS HIS CHEST WITH A KNIFE AND THE PASSENGER WAS PULLED OUT OF THE CAR BY A SECOND PERSON AND PUNCHED IN THE FACE. INVESTIGATORS SAY ABOUT 750-DOLLARS AND THREE RINGS VALUED AT 600-DOLLARS WERE TAKEN.

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A DEVELOPING STORY OUT OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY. A PUNTA GORDA COUPLE IS IN THE HOSPITAL WITH LIFE THREATENING INJURIES AFTER INVESTIGATORS SAY THEIR SON STABBED THEM IN THEIR HOME. JIM AND PATRICIA SHOOK WERE FOUND AT THEIR HOME ON SAN CRISTOBAL AVENUE IN THE DEEP CREEK NEIGHBORHOOD OF PUNTA GORDA JUST BEFORE ONE O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. PARAMEDICS FLEW THEM TO LEE MEMORIAL TRAUMA CENTER. THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE SAYS THE COUPLE'S SON, 20-YEAR-OLD KEENAN SHOOK, WAS ARRESTED A SHORT TIME LATER ON INTERSTATE 75 IN NORTH PORT. THIS IS A MUG SHOT OF KEENAN SHOOK FROM A PREVIOUS ARREST FOR BATTERY IN 2005. THIS IS DEVELOPING STORY AND SEVEN SOUTH NEWSROOM REPORTER JOSH TAYLOR

LENGTH-01:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

ACCORDING TO NEW RESEARCH OUT OF THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND SMOKE RESULTS IN A DISPROPORTIONATE RISE IN MARKERS THAT INCREASE THE RISK OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE. RATHER THAN RELYING ON PARTICIPANTS' SELF-REPORTING OF EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND

SMOKE, RESEARCHERS MEASURED THE LEVEL OF COTININE IN THE PARTICIPANTS' BLOOD. COTININE IS THE MAJOR BREAKDOWN PRODUCT OF NICOTINE THAT INDICATES LEVELS OF NICOTINE INTAKE. AND IT COMES SOLELY FROM TOBACCO SMOKE. THE HIGHER THE COTININE LEVELS, THE HIGHER THE EXPOSURE TO SECOND HAND SMOKE. THE RESEARCHERS FOUND THOSE WITH CONFIRMED SECONDHAND SMOKE EXPOSURE ALSO HAD ELEVATED LEVELS OF BLOOD PROTEINS CALLED FIBRINOGEN, HOMOCYSTEINE AND C-REACTIVE PROTEIN, ALL MARKERS OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE. MANY OF THOSE EXPOSED TO SECOND HAND SMOKE LIVED WITH A SMOKER, OR WERE EXPOSED AT WORK. THE RESEARCHERS SAY THE STUDY SHOWS THAT VERY LOW LEVELS OF EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND SMOKE MAY BE ASSOCIATED WITH APPRECIABLE INCREASES IN CARDIOVASCULAR RISK. THE ASSOCIATIONS WITH FIBRINOGEN AND HOMOCYSTEINE OBSERVED IN THE STUDY TRANSLATE INTO AN INCREASE IN A DISEASE RISK OF AT LEAST 5 PERCENT, AND MAYBE AS HIGH AS 30 PERCENT. SO GET YOUR LOVED ONES TO KICK THE HABIT...FOR YOUR SAKE, IF NOT THEIRS. IF YOU LIFT STUFF FOR A LIVING, YOU MAY BE WORKING TOO HARD! ACCORDING TO A NEW OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY STUDY, WORKERS WHO LIFT FOR A LIVING NEED TO TAKE LONGER OR MORE FREQUENT BREAKS THAN THEY NOW DO TO AVOID BACK INJURY. THE STUDY ALSO SUGGESTS THAT PEOPLE WHO ARE NEW ON THE JOB NEED TO TAKE BREAKS EVEN MORE OFTEN THAN EXPERIENCED WORKERS, AND THAT THE RISK OF INJURY IS HIGHER AT THE END OF A WORK SHIFT. THE RESEARCHERS MEASURED THE AMOUNT OF OXYGEN REACHING THE MUSCLES IN THE LOWER BACK DURING LIFTING. THE OXYGEN LEVEL INDICATED HOW HARD THE MUSCLES WERE WORKING, AND WHETHER THEY WERE BECOMING FATIGUED. PREVIOUS RESEARCH HAS SHOWN THAT MUSCLE FATIGUE IS LINKED TO BACK INJURY. DESPITE THE FACT THAT THE STUDY PARTICIPANTS WERE PERFORMING THE SAME JOB AT THE SAME PACE ALL DAY, THEIR BACK MUSCLES NEEDED MORE OXYGEN AS THE DAY WENT ON. TAKING A HALF-HOUR LUNCH BREAK HELPED THEIR MUSCLES RECOVER FROM THE MORNING'S EXERTION, BUT ONCE THEY STARTED WORKING AGAIN, THEIR OXYGEN NEEDS ROSE STEEPLY AND KEPT CLIMBING THROUGHOUT THE AFTERNOON. IN OTHER WORDS, THE MUSCLES WERE BECOMING FATIGUED MORE QUICKLY IN THE AFTERNOON. THE AUTHORS RECOMMEND MORE BREAKS IN THE AFTERNOON.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

ADD ANOTHER FOOD TO THE RECALL LIST.. OSCAR MAYER SAYS ITS CHICKEN BREAST STRIPS WITH RIB MEAT--COULD MAKE YOU SICK. THE CHICKEN STRIPS COULD BE CONTAMINATED WITH LISTERIA.. HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY THAT COULD CAUSE HIGH FEVER, SEVERE HEADACHE AND NAUSEA. HERE'S WHAT TO LOOK FOR. THE RECALL AFFECTS ALL 6 OUNCE PACKAGES WITH THE LABEL: P-1-9-6-7-6..THE USE-BY DATE ON THE BACK OF THE PACKAGE IS APRIL 18-TH OF 2007. THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ILLNESS YET.

LENGTH-00:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

"WE NEED TO ADD JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE HERE AND A LITTLE BIT MORE HERE TO EVEN OUT..."DERMATOLOGIST HAROLD BRODY CALLS BOTOX THE STAR OF ANTI-WRINKLE PRODUCTS."IF YOU'RE A LITTLE YOUNGER, SAY IN YOUR 40S, AND YOU DON'T QUITE NEED A FACELIFT, THEN A FILLER BOTOX FACELIFT IS FANTASTIC."

THE DRUG'S MAKER, ALLERGAN, ESTIMATES NEARLY THREE MILLION INJECTIONS WERE GIVEN IN 2005. MADE FROM A PURIFIED FORM OF BOTULINUM TOXIN, BOTOX PROMISES TO TEMPORARILY SMOOTH OUT FROWN LINES IN THE BROW. BUT THERE CAN BE SIDE EFFECTS. "IF YOU COME TOO LOW YOU'LL GET A BROW DROOP, AND IF YOU STAY TOO HIGH AND NOT DO ANYTHING TOO LOW, THE WRINKLES AREN'T GOING TO GO AWAY." BOTOX MAY SOON HAVE COMPETITION FROM ANOTHER MUSCLE RELAXANT CALLED RELOXIN. UNLIKE BOTOX, IT DOESN'T REQUIRE REFRIGERATION. DOCTORS DON'T KNOW HOW LONG THE DRUG WILL LAST. BOTOX INJECTIONS WEAR OFF AFTER ABOUT FOUR MONTHS AND COST AN AVERAGE \$350 PER SHOT. THE PRODUCT IS RECOMMENDED FOR PEOPLE 18 TO 65 YEARS OLD. IT'S AVAILABLE ONLY BY PRESCRIPTION AND THE COMPANY SUGGESTS IT BE ADMINISTERED BY TRAINED PHYSICIANS.

LENGTH-00:10 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-11:00

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA STUDENTS MAY BE PAYING MORE TO GO TO CLASS.. UNDER A NEW PROPOSED BILL.. THEY'D HAVE TO PAY AN ADDITIONAL 500 DOLLARS A SEMESTER.. THE FEE WOULD APPLY TO INCOMING STUDENTS STARTING THIS FALL.. U-F SAYS THE MONEY WOULD GO TO HIRE 200 MORE FACULTY MEMBERS AND A HUNDRED ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC ADVISERS. GOVERNOR CHARLIE CRIST OPPOSES THE BILL. THERE ARE NO TUITION INCREASES FOR FLORIDA COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES IN HIS BUDGET RECOMMENDATION THIS YEAR.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DRIVER WILL STOP AT NOTHING.. TO GET AWAY FROM POLICE. THE DRIVER OF THIS BLACK CAR.. LED SEVERAL POLICE CRUISERS ON A CAR CHASE IN LOS ANGELES.. AT LEAST TWO TIMES POLICE.. HAD HIM CORNERED AFTER SPINNING OUT HIS CAR.. BUT EACH TIME.. HE MANAGED TO GET AWAY. HE EVENTUALLY SURRENDERED -- BUT NOT WITHOUT A FIGHT. WHEN HE GOT OUT OF HIS CAR.. HE WALKED TOWARD POLICE OFFICERS.. THAT'S A NO-NO.. AND WAS GANG TACKLED.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION WITH A STERN WARNING FOR WOMEN TONIGHT.. THE ORGANIZATION WANTS WOMEN TO TAKE MORE ACTION TO CUT THEIR RISK OF HEART DISEASE AND STROKE.. THE HEART ASSOCIATION PUTTING OUT NEW GUIDELINES TO HELP.. AMONG THEM.. TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT TAKING ASPIRIN EVERY DAY. EXERCISE AT LEAST HALF-AN-HOUR EACH DAY, AND EAT A DIET WITH LESS FAT. THE EXPERTS SAY WOMEN SHOULD BE EATING LOTS OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, WHOLE GRAIN AND HIGH-FIBER FOODS. AND FISH SHOULD BE ON THE MENU AT LEAST TWICE A WEEK.

FEBRUARY 20, 2007

LENGTH-00:33

ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS ASKING FOR YOUR HELP THIS MORNING IN TRACKING DOWN THE MAN WHO ROBBED A WINN DIXIE SUPERMARKET LATE LAST NIGHT.ACCORDING TO A SHERIFF'S REPORT, THE WINN DIXIE IN THE 3300 BLOCK OF 17TH STREET WAS ROBBED AROUND 11:30 LAST NIGHT.EMPLOYEES SAY THE STORE WAS CLOSED WHEN THE SUSPECT KNOCKED ON AN OFFICE DOOR.WHEN THEY LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW, THEY SAW A MAN WEARING A HOODED SWEATSHIRT AND SKI MASK. HE WAS CARRYING A SEMI-AUTOMATIC HANDGUN AND DEMANDED THAT THEY OPEN THE DOOR. THE SUSPECT TIED THE EMPLOYEE'S WRISTS TOGETHER, TOOK AN UNKNOWN AMOUNT OF CASH, AND RAN FROM THE STORE.

LENGTH-00:59

ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THERE ARE MORE THAN 700 CALORIES IN THIS BEEF BURRITO... 420 IN A MOCHA FRAPPUCCINO...AND 320 IN THIS ROAST BEEF SANDWICH. COUNTING CALORIES IS ENOUGH TO RUIN YOUR APPETITE. BUT AUTHOR CHARLES STUART PLATKIN TRACKED DOWN THE INFORMATION FOR 75-HUNDRED DIFFERENT BRAND NAME FOODS AND LEARNED A VALUABLE LESSON. THINK BEFORE YOU EAT AND REALLY UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF WHAT YOU CONSUME. PLATKIN CALLS HIMSELF THE DIET DETECTIVE...ALONG WITH CALORIES HE'S CALCULATED HOW MUCH EXERCISE YOU WOULD NEED TO WORK OFF SPECIFIC DIETARY INDULGENCES...FOR SOME PEOPLE, SPLURGING ON THAT ICE CREAM SUNDAE MIGHT BE WORTH THAT SIX HOUR WALK, FOR SOME IT MIGHT NOT BE. REMEMBER THE WOMAN ENJOYING THE FRAPPUCCINO? PLATKIN'S BOOK CLAIMS IT WOULD TAKE HER 108 MINUTES OF WALKING OR 45 MINUTES OF RUNNING TO BURN THE CALORIES... ---SOT--- IT'S VERY GOOD, BUT IT'S NOT THAT GOOD. ACCORDING TO PLATKIN, THIS ROAST BEEF SANDWICH WILL REQUIRE 82 MINUTES OF WALKING AND 34 MINUTES OF RUNNING. ---SOT--- IT TELLS ME I EITHER NEED TO DO SOMETHING MORE VIGOROUS OR WATCH WHAT I EAT A LITTLE BIT MORE. THE VERY POINT THAT PLATKIN IS TRYING MAKE.

LENGTH-01:42

ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SEVEN YEARS AGO, AT THE AGE OF 27, VENKY BANDY WAS DIAGNOSED WITH ULCERATIVE COLITIS. THE PROBLEM CAME ON SUDDENLY...AND WAS OVERWHELMING. "I HAD A LOT OF BLOOD IN THE BOWEL AND I HAD LOSS OF APPETITE, I LOST ABOUT 40 LBS IN A MONTH."ULCERATIVE COLITIS IS A TYPE OF INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE THAT PRODUCES INFLAMMATION AND SORES OR ULCERS ALONG THE INSIDE OF THE LARGE INTESTINE, OR COLON. VENKY WAS PUT ON THIS MEDICINE...A FORM OF MESALAMINE, AN ANTIINFLAMMATORY THAT CAN HAVE A MARKED BENEFIT FOR THESE PATIENTS. BUT THE PROBLEM HERE: IS THE NUMBER OF PILLS ONE HAS TO TAKE. EIGHT TO TWELVE OR MORE TABLETS A DAY! "IF YOU HAVE LIKE UH 800MG TABLET THE ACTIVE PORTION OF THAT TABLET IS ONLY 200MG. YOU NEED ABOUT 1.6GRAMS OF MESALAMINE IN THE COLON. THAT'S THE REASON WHY YOU WOULD NEED 8 TABLETS." ACCORDING TO THE CROHN'S AND COLITIS FOUNDATION OF AMERICA, 65 PERCENT OF PATIENTS WITH ULCERATIVE COLITIS ARE POORLY COMPLIANT WITH THEIR MEDICATION. THE REASON: TOO MANY PILLS. VENKY HAD A CHOICE...SIX PILLS TWICE OR FOUR PILLS THREE TIMES DAILY.

"I SAID OK I WILL GO FOR 4 PILLS 3 TIMES A DAY. ITS JUST YOU HAVE TO MAKE IT A HABIT OF IT." BUT VENKY'S GOING TO KICK THAT HABIT...BECAUSE NOW, HE CAN TAKE A ONCE DAILY FORM OF MESALAMINE CALLED LIALDA. "THIS NEW PILL IF I CAN TAKE ONCE A DAY IT WOULD BE GREAT FOR ME." WHAT LIALDA HAS THAT THE OLD TYPE OF MESALAMINE DOESN'T IS SOMETHING CALLED MMX® TECHNOLOGY.IT COMBINES A PH DEPENDANT GASTRO-RESISTANT COATING, WHICH DELAYS THE RELEASE OF THE MEDICATION TO THE COLON WHERE THE PROBLEM OF INFLAMMATION IS OCCURING. AS A RESULT PATIENTS CAN TAKE AS FEW AS TWO TABLETS ONCE DAILY. "LIODIL IS A VERY GOOD ADVANCE AS FAR AS ULCER COLITIS IS CONCERNED. WE HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS, FOR THIS MEDICATION TO BE APPROVED. AND, AND WE ARE QUITE EXCITED ABOUT IT BECAUSE THAT WILL CERTAINLY IMPROVE OUR COMPLIANCE AS FAR AS PATIENTS, WITH ULCER COLITIS IS CONCERNED. I EXPECT ONCE ITS ON THE MARKET IT MAY BECOME THE MAIN STAY OF PATIENTS."

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

TWO BRADENTON MEN WHO ADMIT THEY WERE OUT LOOKING FOR DRUGS SAY THEY GOT CARJACKED INSTEAD. IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT ON 12TH STREET COURT EAST IN BRADENTON. A SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORT SAYS FOUR MEN APPROACHED THE CAR AT GUN POINT AND DEMANDED THE MEN GET OUT. THE GROUP SEARCHED FOR VALUABLES--BUT DIDN'T FIND ANY, SO THEY STOLE THE CAR INSTEAD.

LENGTH-01:27 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

55 YEAR OLD ROBIN DURR SAYS THAT WINTER HAS BEEN BRUTAL ON HER SKIN -- COMBINED WITH THE NATURAL EFFECTS OF AGING, SHE WANTED TO GIVE HER SKIN SOME "TLC." "I HAVEN'T REALLY FELT THAT MY SKIN LOOKS THAT CLEAR. THIS TIME OF THE YEAR IT TENDS TO BE RATHER DRYING. I HAD A LOT OF SUN DAMAGE."AFRAID OF HARSH CHEMICALS USED IN A CHEMICAL PEEL, ROBIN CHOSE A NEW ALTERNATIVE, THE SMOOTHPEEL, TO HELP REFRESH AND REJUVENATE HER LOOK. "A CHEMICAL PEEL USES A VARIETY OF DIFFERENT CHEMICAL AGENTS THAT IS REMOVING LAYERS OF SKIN. THE COMPLICATIONS ONE MAY SEE WITH CHEMICAL PEELS MAY BE HYPERPIGMENTATION- A DARK SPOT OR HYPO-PIGMENTATION, A LIGHT SPOT. ONE OF THE OTHER ISSUES SURROUNDING CHEMICAL PEELS IT IS VERY HARD TO PREDICT ACCURATELY THE AMOUNT OF DOWNTIME A PATIENT WILL HAVE. IN THE SMOOTH PEEL THERE ARE NO CHEMICALS INVOLVED. WE ARE USING THE PRECISION OF A LASER TO REMOVE A PRE-DETERMINED AMOUNT OF SKIN FROM THE SURFACE." THE RECENTLY FDA APPROVED SMOOTHPEEL USES AN ADVANCED ERBIUM/YAG LASER. AND, IT'S THE UNIQUE VARYING LASER PARAMETERS THAT ALLOW PATIENTS TO RECEIVE EITHER A LIGHT OR DEEP TREATMENT."WE WILL ASK THEM, HOW MUCH DOWNTIME CAN YOU DEAL WITH RIGHT NOW? IS IT A DAY OR IS IT 2 DAYS? CAN YOU BE DOWN FOR 4 DAYS? WITHIN A FEW DAYS THERE WILL BE PEELING OF THE SURFACE AND THE SKIN WILL BE LEFT REFRESHED AND YOUNGER LOOKING." ACCORDING TO LASER SURGEON, DR. MITCHELL CHASIN, THE SMOOTHPEEL WORKS BEST TO SOFTEN FINE LINES, ERASE BROWN SPOTS AND HELPS TO EVEN OUT THE TEXTURE OF SKIN. EACH TREATMENT TAKES ABOUT A HALF HOUR."WE GENERALLY PERFORM A SERIES OF TREATMENTS ROUGHLY ABOUT 3 TREATMENTS PERFORMED ONE PER MONTH. AFTER THE SERIES OF THE TREATMENTS, PATIENTS WILL EXPERIENCE IMPROVEMENT IN THE SKIN TEXTURE AND SKIN TONE."

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DETECTIVES HAVE ARRESTED A 55 YEAR OLD PORT CHARLOTTE MAN ...AND CHARGED HIM WITH SEXUALLY ABUSING TWO YOUNG GIRLS AGES 4 AND 5. MICHAEL WILLIAM CROSS IS CHARGED WITH TWO COUNTS OF CAPITAL SEXUAL BATTERY ...AND TWO COUNTS OF SHOWING OBSCENE MATERIAL TO A MINOR. A RELATIVE REPORTED TO AUTHORITIES ...THAT CROSS WAS SHOWING PORNOGRAPHIC VIDEOS TO THE CHILDREN ... AND INVOLVING THEM IN SEXUAL ACTS. HE DENIES ANY WRONG DOING. BUT AFTER TALKING TO THE CHILDREN ... CROSS WAS ARRESTED. BOND WAS SET AT 500 THOUSAND DOLLARS.

LENGTH-02:07 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

JEANINE BROWN HAS TRAINED SERVICE DOGS FOR YEARS... SHE SPENDS A GREAT DEAL OF TIME WITH EACH DOG...SHE'S WORKING WITH TANGO NOW."IF SOMEONE WERE TO TAKE HIM, I'D BE DEVASTATED." AND THAT'S WHY SHE CAN'T BELIEVE WHAT 64 YEAR OLD GEOFFREY KINNE IS ACCUSED OF DOING. DEPUTIES SAY HE STOLE A DEAF WOMAN'S SERVICE DOG AND THEN TRIED TO GET RID OF IT..."IT WOULD BE LIKE STEALING HER HEARING AIDS - WOULD WOULD SOMEONE DO THAT?" KINNE IS THE PART-OWNER OF MCINTOSH MANOR... IT'S AN ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY ON MCINTOSH ROAD. DEPUTIES SAY THERE WAS A 65 YEAR OLD DEAF WOMAN LIVING HERE... WHO HAD A SERVICE DOG NAMED SELKIE..SELKIE WAS ABOUT TEN YEARS OLD... AND HAD RECENTLY BECOME ILL. DEPUTIES SAY KINNE DECIDED HE WANTED THE DOG GONE."WHILE SHE WAS ASLEEP, THIS JEFFREY KINNE WENT INTO HER ROOM AND TOOK HER DOG.""I CAN'T BELIEVE IT. I CAN'T BELIEVE I LIVE ACROSS THE STREET FROM ANYBODY LIKE THAT." DEPUTIES SAY KINNE FIRST BROUGHT THE SERVICE DOG TO THIS HOUSE ...IT'S AN INVESTMENT PROPERTY THAT KINNE OWNS. KINNE REPORTEDLY JUST LEFT THE DOG TIED UP OUTSIDE HERE WITHOUT ANY FOOD OR WATER. DEPUTIES SAY HE EVENTUALLY RETURNED, GOT THE DOG AND TOOK IT THE SARASOTA HUMANE SOCIETY. THE DOG WAS PUT UP FOR ADOPTION...BUT KINNE TOLD THE DEAF WOMAN HER DOG HAD DIED."THESE AREN'T SERVICE DOGS, BUT THEY MEAN SO MUCH TO US. IT'S NO DIFFERENT THAN IF A CHILD WAS TAKEN." "WE DON'T KNOW WHAT ELSE MAY HAVE GONE ON THERE. THE LADY IN THIS CASE IS DEAF, SO WHO KNOWS HOW MUCH SHE'S BEEN TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF OR IF ANYONE ELSE HAS BEEN TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF BECAUSE OF THEIR MEDICAL CONDITIONS." KINNE WAS HOME TONIGHT... HIS HOUSE IS HERE ON BIRD KEY. HE WAS OUT OF JAIL ON BOND... BUT CLEARLY NOT INTERESTED IN SPEAKING TO US. BROWN SAYS EVERYTHING ABOUT THIS JUST MAKES HER SAD."YOUR SERVICE DOG IS PART OF YOU. YOU'RE A TEAM. YOU'VE WORKED FOR YEARS TO THAT TEAM. IT'S JUST UNIMAGINABLE SOMEONE WOULD STEAL A SERVICE DOG."

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-6:00

A POSSIBLE FATAL MISTAKE IN ITALY..THREE PATIENTS AT HOSPITALS IN TUSCANY WERE ACCIDENTALLY GIVEN ORGANS FROM AN H-I-V POSITIVE DONOR. A TEST ON THE ORGANS HAD COME BACK POSITIVE, BUT THE PERSON FILING THE REPORT WROTE DOWN NEGATIVE. THE THREE PATIENTS WITH INFECTED ORGANS.. WILL UNDERGO TESTS TO SEE IF THEY'VE BEEN INFECTED WITH THE H-I-V VIRUS.

FEBRUARY 21, 2007

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MERCK AND COMPANY HAS BOWED TO PRESSURE FROM PARENTS AND MEDICAL GROUPS. DRUG MAKER MERCK IS SUSPENDING A CAMPAIGN TO ENCOURAGE LAWMAKERS TO MAKE A CERVICAL CANCER VACCINE MANDATORY FOR YOUNG GIRLS. SOME CONSERVATIVE GROUPS OPPOSED THE CAMPAIGN, SAYING IT WOULD ENCOURAGE PREMARITAL SEX. THE VACCINE PROTECTS AGAINST A SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE. THE DRUG MAKER IS BEING CRITICIZED FOR QUIETLY FUNDING THE CAMPAIGN, THROUGH A THIRD PARTY, TO REQUIRE 11- AND 12-YEAR-OLD GIRLS GET THE THREE-DOSE VACCINE IN ORDER TO ATTEND SCHOOL.

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MEN GOT THEIR SEXUAL BOOST WHEN VIAGRA HIT THE MARKET IN 1998. IN SEATTLE, WASHINGTON A NEW STUDY IS UNDER WAY ON DESIRE DRUGS TO REIGNITE A WOMAN'S LOST LIBIDO. WHILE THERE ARE CONFLICTING STATISTICS ON HOW MANY WOMEN WOULD BENEFIT FROM A SIMILAR DRUG. THE SEATTLE STUDY IS LOOKING AT TWO DRUG OPTIONS ONE IS AN ORAL PILL THE OTHER... A NOSE SPRAY. THE SPRAY TARGETS AROUSAL INSTEAD OF DESIRE - AND WOMEN USE IT SHORTLY BEFORE HAVING SEX. THERE'S STILL A LONG ROAD BEFORE EITHER DRUG COULD BE AVAILABLE FROM YOUR DOCTOR. THE COMPANY MAKING THE PILL THAT TARGETS DESIRE HOPES TO APPLY FOR FDA APPROVAL IN 2009. THE DRUG MAKER TESTING THE NOSE SPRAY FOR AROUSAL - HASN'T RELEASED A DATE TO TAKE IT TO THE FDA.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

WEEKS AFTER HER PASSENGER WAS KILLED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT, A 28-YEAR-OLD SARASOTA WOMAN IS BEHIND BARS... CHARGED WITH D-U-I MANSLAUGHTER. STATE TROOPERS SAY RACHEL DIXON HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH A FATAL CAR ACCIDENT THAT HAPPENED BACK IN EARLY JANUARY... ALONG HONORE AVENUE JUST SOUTH OF TAYWOOD MEADOW AVENUE. 43-YEAR-OLD KELLY MCCAOW WAS RIDING IN DIXON'S CAR ON JANUARY 8TH WHEN THE CAR VEERED OFF THE ROAD INTO SOME NEARBY TREES. MCCAOW DIED IN THE ACCIDENT. DIXON IS NOW BEING HELD AT THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH-01:24 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

FOR 25 YEARS ROBERT REID KEPT ACTIVE BY PRACTICING KARATE, PLAYING FOOTBALL, SOFTBALL, AND BASKETBALL. BUT, HIS LOVE FOR SPORTS TOOK A TOLL ON HIS BODY. ROBERT DEVELOPED ARTHRITIS IN HIS KNEES AND WOULD NEED

SURGERY. "THE KNEE PAIN WAS TREMENDOUS, YOU ALWAYS HAVE THAT CONSTANT, CONSTANT ACHE THAT THROBBING. I ACTUALLY GOT TO THE POINT I WAS PROBABLY POPPING ADVIL'S LIKE M&MS." TO ALLEVIATE ROBERT'S PAIN DOCTORS PERFORMED A PARTIAL KNEE RESURFACING. "A KNEE HAS 3 SEPARATE COMPARTMENTS, AND WHEN ONLY ONE PART OF THE KNEE IS DISEASED WE HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO JUST REPLACE THAT PART OF THE KNEE; AND INSTEAD OF FULLY REPLACING IT, I'M ABLE TO SIMPLY RESURFACE THE END OF THE BONE WITH METAL ON ONE SIDE AND A HIGH DENSITY MEDICAL PLASTIC ON THE OTHER SIDE AND LEAVE THE REST OF THE KNEE COMPLETELY INTACT AND LEAVE ALL THE LIGAMENTS AND THE REST OF THE PERSON'S FEELING OF THEIR KNEE AS IF IT WAS THEIR OLD KNEE." BECAUSE ONLY THE DAMAGED SURFACE OF THE KNEE IS REPLACED DURING A PARTIAL KNEE RESURFACING, TRAUMA IS MINIMIZED TO HEALTHY BONE AND TISSUE. "WHEN YOU DO A TOTAL KNEE REPLACEMENT THE WHOLE KNEE GETS CHOPPED OUT AND IF IT FAILS IN 10 YEARS, 12 YEARS OR WHENEVER YOU HAVE TO PUT IN ANOTHER TOTAL KNEE, YOU'VE BURNED EVERY BRIDGE." ACCORDING TO ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON, DR. IRA KIRSCHENBAUM, PARTIAL KNEE RESURFACING WOULD NOT BE AN EFFECTIVE TREATMENT OPTION FOR PEOPLE SUFFERING FROM SEVERE ARTHRITIS AND THOSE PATIENTS BATTLING RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS. "ANYONE WITH THE OSTEOARTHRITIS RESTRICTED PRIMARILY TO ONE PART OF THE JOINT IS AN EXCELLENT CANDIDATE AND THAT REPRESENTS PROBABLY 70% OF ALL KNEE ARTHRITIS THAT'S OUT THERE."

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY, A MAN WHO DROVE A U-HAUL INTO A DITCH WHILE STATE TROOPERS WATCHED WAS WANTED ON FOUR FELONY WARRANTS. THAT'S FROM OUR SEVEN SOUTH NEWSROOM. MICHAEL FLYNN IS CHARGED WITH DRIVING WITH A SUSPENDED LICENSE, FLEEING TO ELUDE, GIVING FALSE INFORMATION TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER ALONG WITH FOUR FELONY WARRANTS. FLYNN'S PRIOR ARRESTS INCLUDE KIDNAPPING IMPRISONMENT AND AGGRAVATED BATTERY.

LENGTH-01:21 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

THE MEDICINES IN YOUR HOME...WHEN ABUSED...ARE AS ADDICTIVE AND DANGEROUS AS ILLEGAL STREET DRUGS... DR DAVID MURRAY IS THE CHIEF SCIENTIST OF THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY. THEY GET IT FROM FAMILY, FRIENDS, TRADING IT IN FRONT OF THE LOCKER IN HIGH SCHOOL AND IT IS EVERY BIT AS DANGEROUS AND DIRTY AS A STREET DRUG NEW GUIDELINES TONIGHT TO KEEP UNWANTED, UNUSED AND UNNECESSARY DRUGS OUT OF THE HANDS OF THE ESTIMATED 850 THOUSAND CHILDREN AND TEENS THIS YEAR WHO WILL TRY THEM TO GET HIGH. FIRST, GET THEM OUT OF THE MEDICINE CABINET. BECAUSE ABUSERS AND DEALERS SCAVENGE GARBAGE ...TAKE THEM OUT OF THE CONTAINER. MIX THEM WITH USED COFFEE GROUNDS OR KITTY LITTER AND PUT THEM IN THE TRASH. FLUSH DRUGS DOWN THE TOILET ONLY IF THE LABEL SAYS IT IS SAFE...THE EPA IS STILL STUDYING THE TOXICITY OF THESE DRUGS IN OUR WATERWAYS. WITH SOME 6.4 MILLION AMERICANS USING MEDICINES TO GET HIGH...IT RAISES THE QUESTION; WHY AS A SOCIETY ARE WE TAKING SO MANY DRUGS IN THE FIRST PLACE? THERE IS PROBABLY AN EXCESSIVE LOOSENESS ON THE PART OF DOCTORS OF WRITING THESE PRESCRIPTIONS AND PATIENTS WHO ARE DEMANDING THEM. AND THEN ONCE THEY'VE GOT THEM THERE IS PROBABLY A LACK OF CARE IN MAKING

SURE THEY ARE KEPT WHERE SOMEONE'S NEPHEW OR GRANDSON OR GRANDDAUGHTER ISN'T GOING TO COME UPON AND SEE IF THEY CAN GET HIGH OFF IT. THERE IS NO DOUBT, THE DEALER, IS AT HOME. THE GOVERNMENT SAYS 60 PERCENT OF PAIN PILL ABUSERS SAY THEY GOT THEIR SUPPLY FOR FREE FROM FRIENDS OR RELATIVES... THE GOVERNMENT'S DAVID MURRAY HAD A STERN WARNING FOR AMERICANS...IF YOU HAVE TWO YEAR OLD YOU DON'T KEEP BLEACH UNDER THE COUNTER....PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS OF TEENAGERS, SHOULD NOT HAVE ADDICTIVE MEDICINES IN THEIR MEDICINE CABINETS.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

A NEW STUDY FINDS, SMOKING CAUSES LONG-LASTING CHANGES IN THE BRAIN,, SIMILAR TO CHANGES SEEN IN ANIMALS WHEN THEY ARE GIVEN COCAINE OR OTHER ADDICTIVE DRUGS. RESEARCHERS WHO STUDIED THE BRAIN TISSUE OF SMOKERS AND NONSMOKERS... FOUND.. SMOKERS AND FORMER SMOKERS HAD HIGH LEVELS OF AN ENZYME THAT TRIGGERS ADDICTION. THE STUDY IS PUBLISHED IN THE JOURNAL OF NEUROSCIENCE.

LENGTH-01:15 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

AFTER VIEWING HIGH-TECH SURGICAL EQUIPMENT AT A TENNESSEE HOSPITAL, THE PRESIDENT TOUTED HIS REMEDY TO THE NATION'S HEALTH CARE CRISIS. SOT BUSH "WE GOT A PROBLEM WITH HEALTH CARE. IT'S NOT AFFORDABLE, AND IT'S NOT ACCESSIBLE TO TOO MANY OF OUR PEOPLE." MISTER BUSH'S PLAN WOULD GIVE TAX BREAKS TO WORKERS WHO PAY FOR THEIR OWN HEALTH INSURANCE -- WHILE EMPLOYER-PROVIDED HEALTH BENEFITS WOULD BE TAXED AS INCOME. ALL WORKERS, REGARDLESS OF HOW THEY RECEIVE COVERAGE, WOULD GET A STANDARD TAX DEDUCTION: 75-HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR INDIVIDUALS, 15-THOUSAND FOR FAMILIES. SOT BUSH "ONE, IT HELPS SOMEBODY AFFORD INSURANCE. TWO, IT'LL HELP IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MARKET FOR INDIVIDUALS IN THE INSURANCE WORLD." BUT CRITICS SAY THE PRESIDENT'S PLAN WOULD ENTICE ONLY A FRACTION OF THE NEARLY 47-MILLION UNINSURED AMERICANS TO BUY COVERAGE -- WHILE ERODING THE QUALITY OF THE BENEFITS AND CARE MANY CURRENTLY RECEIVE. SOT SEN. HILLARY CLINTON D-NY SOT HIS PROPOSAL WOULD BE FUNDED BY TAKING MONEY AWAY FROM PUBLIC HOSPITALS AND THE HEALTH-CARE SAFETY NET. THAT IS THE ROBBING OF PETER TO PAY PAUL THAT I DON'T THINK MAKES SENSE. DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS HILLARY CLINTON, JOHN EDWARDS, AND BARACK OBAMA ALL ADVOCATE SOME FORM OF GOVERNMENT-RUN, UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE -- WHICH MISTER BUSH OPPOSES -- AND DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS HAVE ALREADY SIGNALLED THE PRESIDENT'S PROPOSAL IS DEAD ON ARRIVAL. ERIC HORNG ON CAMERA: THE DEBATE HEATS UP AS COSTS AND THE NUMBER OF UNINSURED CONTINUE TO RISE. A NEW GOVERNMENT REPORT PREDICTS BY 2016, HEALTH CARE WILL ACCOUNT FOR ONE OF EVERY FIVE DOLLARS AMERICANS SPEND.

FEBRUARY 22, 2007

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NEW RESEARCH SAYS ANOREXIA MAY BE IN YOUR GENES.A RESEARCHER AT A TULSA CLINIC SAYS A DECADE-LONG STUDY INTO ANOREXIA NERVOSA IS BEGINNING TO REVEAL THAT THOSE WHO SUFFER FROM THE DISEASE MIGHT HAVE A GENETIC PREDISPOSITION TOWARD IT. RESEARCHERS SAY IF A PERSON HAS A FAMILY MEMBER WHO HAS HAD ANOREXIA NERVOSA, SHE OR HE IS 12 TIMES MORE AT RISK OF DEVELOPING THE ILLNESS. THE STUDY, KNOWN AS THE GENETICS OF ANOREXIA NERVOSA COLLABORATION, IS BEING DONE IN EIGHT CITIES IN NORTH AMERICA AND TWO EUROPEAN CITIES.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

SMOKING IS ONE OF THE HARDEST ADDICTIONS TO QUIT - SOME EXPERTS EVEN COMPARE IT TO HEROIN. AND NOW A NEW STUDY SHOWS THAT SMOKING INDUCES CHANGES IN THE BRAIN THAT APPEAR VERY LIKE THOSE FROM HEROIN. SCIENTISTS TESTED THE BRAINS OF THREE GROUPS OF PEOPLE WHO HAD DIED. SOME HAD BEEN SMOKERS UP UNTIL DEATH, SOME WERE FORMER SMOKERS, AND SOME WERE NON-SMOKERS. THE RESULTS SHOWED THE SMOKERS HAD CHEMICAL CHANGES IN PARTS OF THE BRAIN RELATED TO ADDICTION. COMPARED TO NON-SMOKERS, SMOKERS HAD HIGH LEVELS OF ENZYMES THAT ALTER CHEMICAL BRAIN TRANSMISSION. BUT SURPRISINGLY, RESEARCHERS FOUND HIGH LEVELS OF THESE ENZYMES IN FORMER SMOKERS AS WELL. THIS DISCOVERY SUGGESTS THAT EX-SMOKERS' BRAINS REMAIN ALTERED FOR A LONG PERIOD, PERHAPS LEAVING THEM PERMANENTLY VULNERABLE TO RELAPSE. THESE SAME CHEMICAL CHANGES FROM SMOKING ARE ALSO SEEN IN THE BRAINS OF ANIMALS WHO WERE ADDICTED TO HARD DRUGS LIKE HEROIN AND COCAINE. RESEARCHERS THINK THIS MIGHT EXPLAIN WHY SMOKING IS SUCH A DIFFICULT HABIT TO BREAK.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE SEARCHING FOR THREE SUSPECTS THIS AFTERNOON WHO ROBBED A GUEST AT A SUPER 8 MOTEL IN BRADENTON LAST NIGHT.IT HAPPENED IN THE 6500 BLOCK OF 14TH STREET WEST IN BRADENTON. DEPUTIES SAY A GUEST STAYING AT THE MOTEL WAS SMOKING ON A SECOND-FLOOR BALCONY WHEN HE WAS APPROACHED BY THREE PEOPLE.WHEN HE OPENED HIS ROOM DOOR, HE SAYS THE THREE SHOVED HIM INSIDE AND DEMANDED MONEY FROM ALL THREE PEOPLE INSIDE. ONE OF THE SUSPECTS FIRED A ROUND FROM A SMALL HANDGUN INTO THE CEILING.ABOUT 14-HUNDRED DOLLARS WAS TAKEN ALONG WITH A CELL PHONE. THE THREE SUSPECTS DROVE AWAY IN A LIGHT BLUE, LATE MODEL, CHEVY IMPALA OR MONTE CARLO. NO ONE WAS INJURED DURING THE INCIDENT.

LENGTH-01:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

FOR INTERNAL MEDICINE CHIEF RESIDENTS MATTHEW COSTA AND JOSHUA LANTZMAN, A FUTURE IN PRIMARY CARE INTERNAL MEDICINE-IS NOT IN THE CARDS. THEIR FUTURE INSTEAD-CARDIOLOGY...A SUBSPECIALTY OF INTERNAL MEDICINE.

TAKE NOTE: OUR MEDICAL SYSTEM IS BASED ON THE CARE OF THE GATEKEEPER PHYSICIAN... THE PRIMARY CARE INTERNAL MEDICINE DOCTOR OR FAMILY PRACTITIONER. "PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIANS ARE REALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING THE VAST REALM OF THE INTERNAL MEDICINE FIELD. YOU GET TO ESTABLISH RELATIONSHIPS WITH PATIENTS, LONG-TERM." YET, THAT IMPORTANT RELATIONSHIP... AND THE ENTIRE HEALTH SYSTEM AS A RESULT... IS IN PERIL. ACCORDING TO A NEW AND DISTURBING STUDY IN THE ANNALS OF INTERNAL MEDICINE, VERY FEW WANT TO BE THE GATEKEEPER. THE NUMBER OF U.S. MEDICAL STUDENTS CHOOSING CAREERS IN PRIMARY CARE OR FAMILY PRACTICE MEDICINE HAS DRASTICALLY FALLEN IN RECENT YEARS, THREATENING THE STABILITY OF THE OVERALL HEALTH-CARE SYSTEM. THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS HAS CALLED THIS AN "IMPENDING CRISIS." "THE PEOPLE ACTUALLY CHOOSING TO GO INTO PRIMARY CARE OFFICE BASED PRACTICE IS QUITE SMALL." THE REASON... IT PAYS, RELATIVELY SPEAKING, LOUSY. THE ANNUAL GROWTH IN INCOME... JUST ONE PERCENT. "THAT ONE PERCENT IS OBVIOUSLY LESS THAN THE GROWTH RATE OF THE COST OF LIVING." FIFTEEN PERCENT OF FULL TIME FAMILY PRACTICE DOCTORS EARNED LESS THAN 100,000 DOLLARS IN 2004, WHILE 20 PERCENT OF INVASIVE CARDIOLOGISTS MADE MORE THAN 600,000. "THE FINANCIAL BURDEN PEOPLE LEAVE RESIDENCY MEDICAL SCHOOL WITH COUPLED WITH THE SALARY DIFFERENCES DETERMINES WHETHER SOMEONE GOES INTO PRIMARY CARE OR CARDIOLOGY. EACH YEAR THERE ARE RESIDENTS AND DOCTORS WHO HAVE LOANS OF \$100,000, 200,000." "I THINK THE NUMBER OF PHYSICIANS ENTERING PRIMARY CARE PRACTICES IS NOT GROWING AT THE RATE THAT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO TAKE CARE OF PROJECTED POPULATION NEEDS IN THE NEXT 10 TO 15 TO 20 YEARS."

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR A DRIVE THROUGH ROBBER..IT HAPPENED THIS MORNING AT A MCDONALD'S RESTAURANT ON 14th STREET WEST IN BRADENTON.. DEPUTIES SAY THE ROBBER GOT IN THE BACKSEAT, GRABBED THE VICTIM'S SHOULDERS AND TOLD HIM TO "GIVE IT UP." THE MAN MADE OFF WITH A BOTTLE OF PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION AND 30 DOLLARS IN CASH. THE VICTIM WAS NOT HURT.

LENGTH-01:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

JOHN GRANT IS A MAN IN MOTION. I WALK AT A VERY FAST PACE, I OFTEN HAVE PEOPLE TELL ME WHO ARE WITH ME... WILL YOU SLOW DOWN? AS C-E-O OF "100 BLACK MEN" OF ATLANTA, GRANT TEAMED UP WITH FORMER SURGEON GENERAL DAVID SATCHER AND THE MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE TO CREATE A HEALTH PROGRAM. I AM MUCH MORE CONSCIOUS OF THE FACT THAT IF ONE CAN WALK 10,000 STEPS A DAY HOW MUCH IT CAN LOWER YOUR INCIDENCE OF DIABETES. -60 PERCENT OF AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN ARE OVERWEIGHT. -41-PERCENT HAVE CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE. IN ADDITION, BLACK MEN ARE TWICE AS LIKELY AS WHITE MEN TO HAVE DIABETES OR DIE OF CANCER. WE FELT IF WE STARTED WITH THESE MEN IT WOULD BE AN INVESTMENT IN THEIR HEALTH AND IN THE HEALTH OF THEIR COMMUNITY. INITIAL HEALTH SCREENINGS FOUND MANY UNDIAGNOSED PROBLEMS SUCH AS PROSTATE CANCER, HEART DISEASE AND HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. EACH PARTICIPANT WAS ENCOURAGED TO: -INCREASE THEIR PHYSICAL ACTIVITY TO 10-

THOUSAND STEPS A DAY -AND EAT AT LEAST 9 SERVINGS OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES EVERY DAY. THOSE SIMPLE CHANGES LOWERED THEIR CHOLESTEROL, BLOOD PRESSURE AND BLOOD SUGAR LEVELS OVER THE FIRST TWO YEARS OF THE PROGRAM. AND NOW THE GROUP IS REACHING OUT TO YOUNG PEOPLE IN IT'S SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. WE BELIEVE VERY STRONGLY THAT IF WE CAN HELP OUR STUDENTS IMPROVE THEIR HEALTH... THEY WILL IMPROVE THEIR ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE. WALTER BURSON IS A SOPHOMORE AT TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY WHO WAS OVERWEIGHT AND AT RISK. HE'S LOST 15 POUNDS SINCE STARTING THE HEALTH CHALLENGE. I WANT TO BE HEALTHY//NOW IS THE TIME TO START. THIS IS THE BLACK MEN PLAYING THEIR ROLE, TAKING THEIR RESPONSIBILITY IN THE HOME AND ULTIMATELY IN THE COMMUNITY AND THAT'S WHAT THIS IS ABOUT.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A TEENAGER'S SCHOOL ESSAY LEADS TO THE ARREST OF A SARASOTA MAN.. 64-YEAR OLD JAMES HUGHES ACCUSED OF RAPING A 10-YEAR OLD... OVER A SIX- MONTH PERIOD.. INVESTIGATORS SAY HUGHES LIVED IN THE GIRL'S HOUSE AT THE TIME.. THE NOW 15-YEAR OLD GIRL'S ESSAY DESCRIBED IN DETAIL.. HOW SHE WAS RAPED BY HUGHES AND THREE OTHER MEN.. HUGHES IS CHARGED WITH SEXUAL BATTERY ON A CHILD UNDER 12.. AND IS BEING HELD WITHOUT BOND..

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE PRINCIPAL OF A TAMPA MIDDLE SCHOOL ARRESTED TODAY FOR BUYING CRACK COCAINE.. IN HIS SCHOOL OFFICE.. ANTHONY GIANCOLA IS THE PRINCIPAL OF VAN BUREN MIDDLE SCHOOL. DURING SCHOOL HOURS.. POLICE SAY HE BOUGHT 20-DOLLARS WORTH OF DRUGS FROM AN UNDERCOVER OFFICER. POLICE SAY LAST WEEK.. GIANCOLA TOLD THE OFFICER HE WANTED TO BUY 200-DOLLARS WORTH OF DRUGS.

FEBRUARY 23, 2007

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

ONE-HUNDRED YEARS IN PRISON IS THE SENTENCE FOR AN AMERICAN SOLDIER INVOLVED IN THE RAPE OF AN IRAQI GIRL, WHO WAS THEN MURDERED ALONG WITH HER FAMILY. SERGEANT PAUL CORTEZ SAYS HE'S SORRY FOR HIS PART IN THE GANG RAPE AND KILLINGS. A MILITARY JUDGE HAS SENTENCED CORTEZ TO 100 YEARS IN PRISON. BUT UNDER A PLEA DEAL, HE'LL BE ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE IN TEN YEARS. HE'S ALSO BEEN DISHONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THE MILITARY.

LENGTH-01:59 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

WHAT'S YOUR WEAKNESS...WHERE DOES YOUR SWEET TOOTH DO YOU IN? "FUN DIP HAS GOT TO BE MY FAVORITE. IT'S A SUGAR STICK , DIPPED INTO SUGAR." BUT WHAT IF WANT TO RESIST THE SUGAR? INTRODUCING SUGAREST! THE CLAIM: INSTANT WILL POWER! "I DON'T BELIEVE IT." WELL, WE CAME HERE TO THE WORLD FAMOUS ECONOMY CANDY IN NEW YORK...WE FOUND ROBIN...WHO HAD A HANKERIN' FOR CHOCOLATE COVERED JELLY RINGS."I DROVE BY, I COULDN'T RESIST." WE HAD ROBIN CHEW SUGAREST. AND THEN SHE.GIVES THE JELLY RING A TRY."I CAN'T TASTE IT, I REALLY CAN'T. YOU WANT TO FINISH THAT? NO THANK YOU. YOU DON'T WANT TO EAT CHOCOLATE AFTER THAT." NO CHOCOLATE! WHAT ABOUT CARLIE KAYSER'S FUN DIP AFTER CHEWING SUGAREST FOR A MINUTE? "I DON'T REALLY TASTE THE SUGAR OR ANYTHING GOOD.//19:44 DOESN'T TASTE THAT GREAT." SUGAREST CONTAINS GYMNEMNA SYLVESTRE...AN INDIAN HERB WHICH TEMPORARILY BLOCKS THE SWEET TASTE RECEPTORS ON THE TONGUE...FOR ANY SWEET FOOD OR DRINK. "WOULD YOU USE THIS PRODUCT? YEAH" REMEMBER DOUBTING MIKE HERE? WHAT HAPPENS TO HIS DONUT AFTER TAKING SUGAREST? "IT IS LIKE EATING A PIECE OF CHALK OR SOMETHING, I DON'T THINK I AM GOING TO FINISH IT RIGHT NOW." "YOU STILL HAVE THE ABILITY TO TAKE SALTY THINGS THAT THE RECEPTORS ON YOUR TONGUE OR SOUR THINGS. SO THE WHOLE PRODUCT TASTES ENTIRELY DIFFERENT." IT'LL RUIN YOUR COKE OR HAWAII PUNCH..."IT IS DISGUSTING ACTUALLY." AND SUGAREST MAKES ICE CREAM UNDESIRABLE. "IT IS AWKWARD; I NEVER HAD THIS EXPERIENCE BEFORE OF TASTING ICE CREAM THAT IS PLAIN. I AM GOING TO GO THROW THAT AWAY NOW." O, FOR AROUND THIRTY MINUTES OR SO AFTER TAKING THE SUGAREST, THESE CANDY CIGARETTES WON'T TASTES SO GOOD...NOT THAT THEY TASTE GOOD IN THE FIRST PLACE. ANYWAY, IT APPEARS CANDY CIGARETTES AREN'T THE ONLY CIGARETTES THAT SUGAREST WORKS ON."CIGARETTES CONTAIN SWEETENERS, LICORICE BASICALLY. HAVING THAT DESIRED TASTE THAT THEY NORMALLY EXPERIENCE WITH THAT CIGARETTE THEY SMOKE IS NO LONGER THERE, AND THEY DON'T WANT TO SMOKE FOR A PERIOD OF TIME." CARMINE GAVE IT A SHOT. "I THREW OUT THE CIGARETTE, IT DIDN'T TASTE GOOD."CIGARETTES...AND CANDY! TOO BAD SUGAREST WASN'T THERE FOR AUGUSTUS GLOOP.

LENGTH-00:41 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

SARASOTA POLICE MAKE AN ARREST IN YESTERDAY'S *ATTEMPTED* ABDUCTION NEAR SOUTHSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.. THAT'S WHERE AN 11-YEAR OLD GIRL WAS APPROACHED BY A MAN WHO CLAIMED HE HAD LOST HIS DOG.. AND WANTED HER HELP TO FIND IT.. FORTUNATELY.. SHE ESCAPED..POLICE ARRESTED 42-YEAR-OLD THOMAS GALE.. HE'S CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED KIDNAPPING. POLICE RECEIVED INFORMATION THROUGH A TIP THAT A LIGHT BLUE VOLKSWAGEN BEETLE, DESCRIBED BY THE LITTLE GIRL.. WAS HEADING WEST ON 12TH STREET IN SARASOTA..POLICE STOPPED THE VEHICLE AND ARRESTED THOMAS GALE.. THE GIRL WHO GALE IS ACCUSED OF APPROACHING.. RAN INTO HER SCHOOL.. AND TOLD TEACHERS WHAT HAPPENED.. PARENTS WERE ALERTED TO WHAT HAPPENED.. AND TO THEIR RELIEF.. AN ARREST HAS BEEN MADE..

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARRESTING 21 YEAR OLD JOHN GARCIA. HIS ONE YEAR OLD DAUGHTER WAS BROUGHT TO PEACE RIVER REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER... WITH SEVERE INJURIES. DOCTORS SAY THE LITTLE GIRL HAD A SKULL FRACTURE, SEVERE BRAIN BLEEDING, A RIB FRACTURE, AND BRUISES ON HER BODY. INVESTIGATOR SAY GARCIA ALSO FACES CHILD NEGLECT CHARGES.. FOR REFUSING TO TAKE THE TODDLER TO THE HOSPITAL.

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FEBRUARY 26, 2007

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A MAN WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH AN ATTEMPTED MURDER IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN NEW JERSEY. THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE WORKED WITH THE WOODBRIDGE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN ARRESTING 20-YEAR-OLD JAMES ROFETTO AT A HOME IN NEW JERSEY. PROFETTO IS CHARGED IN CONNECTION WITH THE THURSDAY MORNING SHOOTING OF 20-YEAR-OLD RANDALL ERIC ROBINETT. THE SHOOTING OCCURRED NOT FAR FROM ROBINETT'S HOME, NEAR JACOBS STREET AND CHAMBERLAIN BLVD IN PORT CHARLOTTE. PROFETTO WILL BE TRANSFERRED BACK TO CHARLOTTE COUNTY ONCE EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS ARE COMPLETED.

LENGTH-01:36 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

A STUDY OF 60,000 POSTMENOPAUSAL WOMEN FOUND THAT PREHYPERTENSION, A SLIGHTLY ELEVATED BLOOD PRESSURE ABOVE NORMAL IS ASSOCIATED WITH NEARLY A 60 PERCENT HIGHER RISK OF CARDIOVASCULAR DEATH THAN NORMAL BLOOD PRESSURE. NORMAL BLOOD PRESSURE IS DEFINED AS ANYTHING BELOW 120/80. PREHYPERTENSION IS AN UPPER NUMBER BETWEEN 120 AND 139, AND A LOWER NUMBER OF BETWEEN 80 AND 89. THE RESEARCH FOUND FORTY PERCENT OF WOMEN HAVE PREHYPERTENSION. THE INCREASED RISK WITH THIS BLOOD PRESSURE RESULTED IN OVERALL, A 76 PERCENT HIGHER RISK OF NON FATAL HEART ATTACK AND NEARLY A DOUBLE RISK OF STROKE. THE AUTHORS SAY THIS STUDY SHOWS BLOOD PRESSURE SHOULD BE REDUCED, EVEN AT PREHYPERTENSION LEVELS... USING LIFESTYLE FIRST, SUCH AS DIET AND EXERCISE, AND THEN MEDICATIONS IF NECESSARY. NEW RESEARCH SUGGESTS BEATING HEART BYPASS SURGERY MAY NOT TRUMP TRADITIONAL BYPASS SURGERY FOR LOW-RISK PATIENTS. IN TRADITIONAL BYPASS SURGERY, DOCTORS STOP THE PATIENTS' HEART DURING BYPASS SURGERY AND HOOK THE PATIENT UP TO A HEART-LUNG BYPASS MACHINE

DURING THE OPERATION. BUT DURING "BEATING HEART" BYPASS, ALSO CALLED "OFF-PUMP" BYPASS, DOCTORS OPERATE ON THE PATIENT'S BEATING HEART, WITHOUT USING A HEART-LUNG MACHINE. IT HAS BEEN BELIEVED THAT USING THE PUMP INCREASES THE RISK OF POSTOPERATIVE MENTAL FUNCTION PROBLEMS...IN MEMORY, CALCULATION, AND SO ON. IT WAS THOUGHT THAT BEATING HEART BYPASS REDUCED THIS PROBLEM.BUT THE STUDYIN THE LATEST JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION SAYS THERE'S ESSENTIALLY NO DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO OPERATIONS.A REPORT OF THE AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION RELEASED THIS WEEK FOUND EVIDENCE THAT THE PROLIFERATION OF SEXUALIZED IMAGES OF GIRLS AND YOUNG WOMEN IN THE MEDIA AND MURCHANDISINGIS HARMFUL TO GIRLS' SELF-IMAGE. RESEARCH SHOWS IT UNDERMINES A PERSON'S CONFIDENCE IN AND COMFORT WITH HER OWN BODY, LEADING TO EMOTIONAL AND SELF-IMAGE PROBLEMS, SUCH AS SHAME AND ANXIETY. IT ALSO AFFECTS A GIRLS ABILITY TO DEVELOP A HEALTHY SEXUAL SELF-IMAGE.

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

WHEN LAB STUDIES SUGGESTED THAT GARLIC HAD THE POWER TO BLOCK CHOLESTEROL, EXPERTS BELIEVED GARLIC MIGHT BE A NATURAL REMEDY FOR FIGHTING HIGH CHOLESTEROL.GARLIC SUPPLEMENTS QUICKLY BECAME BEST SELLERS. BUT DO THEY ACTUALLY WORK?DOCTORS RECENTLY TESTED THE THEORY BY GIVING PEOPLE WITH MODERATELY HIGH CHOLESTEROL LEVELS DIFFERENT TYPES OF GARLIC TO EAT. SOME ATE RAW GARLIC MIXED IN SANDWICHES. SOME USED GARLIC PILLS AND OTHERS ATE GARLIC POWDER MIXED IN FOOD. ALTOGETHER, THE GARLIC EATERS CONSUMED ABOUT 1 CLOVE OF GARLIC PER DAY FOR 6 MONTHS. BUT SURPRISINGLY, NONE OF THE GARLIC IMPROVED PEOPLE'S CHOLESTEROL LEVELS. RESEARCHERS LOOKED FOR A CHANGE IN ALL TYPES OF CHOLESTEROL, INCLUDING BAD AND GOOD FORMS, BUT GARLIC DID NOT ALTER THE READINGS IN ANY WAY. GARLIC IS STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION TO SEE IF IT MIGHT HAVE OTHER BENEFITS, SUCH AS IMPROVING THE IMMUNE SYSTEM. BUT THE INVESTIGATORS OF THIS STUDY SAY THE CASE IS PRETTY MUCH CLOSED ON GARLIC FOR HIGH CHOLESTEROL - IT JUST DOESN'T WORK.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A MAN HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED HOMICIDE ...IN MANATEE COUNTY. A REPORT SAYS THE ESTRANGED WIFE OF 43-YEAR OLD KENNETH ERWIN ...WAS GRANTED A NON-EXPIRING INJUNCTION... BECAUSE OF REPEAT VIOLENCE ...TWO YEARS AGO. ERWIN MOVED BACK IN WITH MARY ERWIN ...SIX MONTHS AGO. DEPUTIES SAY JUST BEFORE 5:30 A.M. THIS MORNING ... KENNETH ERWIN PUNCHED HIS WIFE ON BOTH SIDES OF THE FACE ... KNOCKED HER TO THE FLOOR ...AND BEGAN TO CHOKE HER. THE VICTIM SAYS HE THEN THREATENED TO KILL HER. DEPUTIES ARRESTED KENNETH ERWIN. HE IS CHARGED WITH VIOLATION OF AN INJUNCTION AGAINST REPEAT VIOLENCE ... DOMESTIC BATTERY ...AND ATTEMPTED HOMICIDE.

FEBRUARY 27, 2007

LENGTH-00:53 ISSUE-HEALTH 3 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FOOD INTOLERANCE IS NOT LIFE THREATENING, BUT SOME PEOPLE EXPERIENCE UNPLEASANT SIDE EFFECTS. FOODS THAT CONTAIN LACTOSE, YEAST, GLUTEN AND FRUCTOSE CAN TRIGGER SENSITIVITIES. YOU CAN GET STOMACH SYMPTOMS USUALLY, SOMETIMES NAUSEA AND SOMETIMES INCREASED GAS AND IT CAN BE A SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM. FOOD INTOLERANCE IS A LOT MORE COMMON THAN FOOD ALLERGIES, ACCORDING TO EXPERTS. A FOOD ALLERGY OCCURS WHEN THE BODY PRODUCES ANTIBODIES THAT SIGNAL THE IMMUNE SYSTEM TO RELEASE HISTAMINE INTO THE BLOODSTREAM. HISTAMINE CAN CAUSE ITCHING, CAN CAUSE SWELLING IN THE MOUTH, SWELLING IN THE THROAT, SWELLING IN THE LIPS, SOMETIMES BREATHING DIFFICULTY. THE MOST COMMON FOOD ALLERGENS ARE MILK, EGGS, PEANUTS, TREE NUTS, FISH AND SHELLFISH, SOY AND WHEAT. AN ALLERGIST CAN RUN A SKIN OR BLOOD TEST TO CONFIRM THE CONDITION. WHETHER IT'S AN ALLERGY OR INTOLERANCE, DOCTOR FINEMAN ADVISES HIS PATIENTS TO CAREFULLY READ LABELS AND AVOID THE TROUBLESOME FOOD.

LENGTH-00:58 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

EATING DISORDERS DON'T JUST AFFECT GIRLS, ACCORDING TO THE NATIONAL EATING DISORDERS ASSOCIATION, NEARLY A MILLION AMERICAN BOYS AND MEN STRUGGLE WITH ANOREXIA AND BULIMIA. WE'RE NOT EXPECTING TO SEE IT IN BOYS, SO THE BOYS MIGHT GET DIAGNOSED AT A LATER STAGE WHICH CAN MAKE TREATMENT MORE DIFFICULT. DIANNE NEUMARK-SZTAINER (PRONO: STEIN-ER) IS A TEEN HEALTH EXPERT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA AND AUTHOR OF "I'M, LIKE, SO FAT!" SHE SAYS EATING DISORDERS AMONG BOYS AND YOUNG MEN ARE ON THE RISE AND IT'S NOT JUST BECAUSE THEY'RE TRYING TO LOSE WEIGHT. ONE OF THE THINGS THAT WE THINK IS HAPPENING WITH YOUNG MEN IS THAT THEY'RE BEING INFLUENCED BY THE MEDIA IMAGES WHICH ARE PORTRAYING VERY LARGE MUSCLES. SHE POINTS TO MEN'S HEALTH MAGAZINES AND EVEN ACTION FIGURES AS STRONG INFLUENCES. YOU WONDER WHAT EFFECT THIS IS HAVING ON YOUNG BOYS WHO ARE PLAYING WITH THESE TOYS. THE NATIONAL EATING DISORDERS ASSOCIATION SAYS SIGNS OF AN EATING PROBLEM IN BOYS AND GIRLS MAY INCLUDE: -DRASTIC WEIGHT LOSS -PREOCCUPATION WITH COUNTING CALORIES -EXCESSIVE EXERCISE -AVOIDING MEALS -TAKING LAXATIVES OR, SMOKING TO CURB APPETITE.

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A SARASOTA TEEN TRIES TO OUTRUN POLICE ON HIS ATV ...AND RUNS INTO BIG TROUBLE INSTEAD.OFFICERS FIRST SPOTTED THE SPEEDING ATV ... IN THE 19 HUNDRED BLOCK OF ORANGE AVE. THEY SAY WHEN THE 16 YEAR OLD DRIVER SAW THEM ...HE HIT THE GAS. POLICE DIDN'T GIVE CHASE... BUT THEY DID WATCH ... AS THE TEEN RAN RED LIGHTS AND STOP SIGNS ...TRYING TO ELUDE THEM. THEY LOST SIGHT OF HIM ON 8TH STREET ... BUT LATER SPOTTED HIM WALKING ON LIME AVE. AND THEY FOUND HIS ATV NEARBY. HE WAS ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH FLEEING TO ELUDE OFFICERS AT A HIGH SPEED ... RECKLESS DRIVING AND OTHER CHARGES.

LENGTH-01:56 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

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LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-11:00

SURVEILLANCE VIDEO RELEASED TODAY OF A VALENTINE'S DAY CRASH AT A DEERFIELD BEACH D-M-V OFFICE. WATCH THIS.. AN ELDERLY WOMAN WAS BEHIND THE WHEEL, TRYING TO LEAVE.. BUT SHE FORGOT TO PUT THE CAR IN REVERSE AND INSTEAD HIT THE GAS. HER CAR PLOWS THROUGH THE FRONT OF THE BUILDING. 11 PEOPLE IN THE WAITING ROOM WERE HURT..THE 80 YEAR OLD DRIVER WAS CALLED TO THE D-M-V OFFICE TO RE-TAKE HER DRIVERS TEST. SHE NEVER GOT TO.. BECAUSE OF A MECHANICAL PROBLEM WITH HER CAR.

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LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

SEVERAL RESIDENTS OF A VENICE COMMUNITY WERE WOKEN UP EARLY THIS MORNING AND EVACUATED FROM THEIR HOMES AFTER A HOSTAGE STANDOFF BETWEEN A GUNMAN AND SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES.DEPUTIES REMAIN AT A HOME IN THE 5800 BLOCK OF JEFFERSON ROAD IN THE GULF VIEW ESATATES NEIGHBORHOOD OF VENICE. ACCORDING TO THE SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE 33-YEAR-OLD

GARY WILSON BROKE INTO THE HOME OF HIS EX FATHER-IN-LAW WHERE HIS EX WIFE WAS STAYING. HE HELD HIS EX-WIFE, THEIR CHILD, AND HER PARENTS HOSTAGE. INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY WERE ALL ABLE TO ESCAPE UNHARMED, BUT THE GUNMAN REMAINS IN THE HOME... ARMED AND REFUSING TO COME OUT. MEMBERS OF THE SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SWAT TEAM HAVE BEEN CALLED TO THE SCENE. RESIDENTS IN THE SURROUNDING HOMES ARE NOT BEING ALLOWED IN OR OUT OF THE AREA UNTIL THE SITUATION COMES TO AN END. THIS IS A DEVELOPING STORY AND WE'LL HAVE MORE AS THE SITUATION UNFOLDS.

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LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A 19-YEAR-OLD SARASOTA MAN WILL SPEND SOME TIME BEHIND BARS FOR IMPERSONATING A POLICE OFFICER. MARCUS MYLES HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO SIX YEARS IN PRISON. HE PLEADED GUILTY TWO COUNTS OF KIDNAPPING AND ONE COUNT OF FALSELY IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER. IN AUGUST, POLICE SAY HE HANDCUFFED A WOMAN WHOSE CAR HAD BROKEN DOWN, ACCUSED HER OF BEING AN ILLEGAL IMMIGRANT AND TOOK HER AND HER CHILDREN TO THE SECURITY OFFICE OF FLORIDA SOUTHERN COLLEGE. OFFICERS THERE ARRESTED MYLES WHEN THEY FOUND OUT HE WASN'T A COP.

LENGTH-01:33 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-12:00

CERVICAL CANCER...A DISEASE THAT KILLS 4,000 WOMEN EACH YEAR. IT'S PREVENTABLE IN THE MAJORITY OF THE CASES...MERCK BROLL MAUFACTURING GARDASIL...AND THE TOOL IS THIS: THE CERVICAL CANCER VACCINE CALLED GARDASIL. IT PREVENTS THE SPREAD OF HUMAN PAPILLOMA VIRUS, OR HPV...THERE ARE MORE THAN 100 TYPES OF HPV...BUT TWO...HPV 16 AND 18 ARE THE MAIN CAUSES OF CERVICAL CANCER. WO OTHERS....HPV 6 AND 11...CAUSE GENITAL WARTS. NOW, A NEW STUDY SHOWS HPV INFECTION IS COMMON IN AMERICA. ONE IN EVERY FOUR U.S. FEMALES BETWEEN THE AGES OF 14 AND 59 HAVE AT LEAST ONE STRAIN OF HPV. BUT, PAY ATTENTION TO THE DETAILS: ONLY 3.4 PERCENT ACTUALLY HAVE HPV 16 AND 18...THAT'S AROUND THREE MILLION FEMALES. ANOTHER 1.4 PERCENT HAD HPV 6 OR 11, THE WART CAUSING STRAINS. "AS YOU DEVELOP AN IMMUNE RESPONSE AND DEVELOP ANTIBODIES TO PROTECT AGAINST ANTI INFECTION THE OLDER YOU GET WITH THE LATER SEXUAL CONTACTS THAT MEANS YOU HAVE MORE EXPOSURE AND YOU ARE IMMUNE SO YOU DON'T HAVE AS MANY ACTIVE INFECTIONS AND THAT IS WHY THE PERCENTAGES ACTUALLY DROP OVER TIME." IS THE FREQUENCY OF THE DISEASE CAUSING STRAINS-AGAIN, 4.5 PERCENT IN U.S. FEMALES--ENOUGH TO WARRANT THE VACCINE. "I DO THINK THAT BEING ABLE TO LIMIT THE PATHOLOGIC INFECTIONS THE ONES THAT CAUSE 70 TO 80 PERCENT OF THE CLINICALLY IMPORTANT DISEASES THAT WE TREAT IS GOING TO BE A TREMENDOUS BENEFIT TO WOMAN.ALL WOMAN BEGINNING AGES ELEVEN TO TWELVE SHOULD BE VACCINATED WITH THE PREVENTATIVE VACCINE."THE QUESTION IS, GIVEN THE FREQUENCY, SHOULD IT BE MANDATED, AS MANY STATES ARE CONSIDERING? "I THINK IT SHOULD BE MANDATED BECAUSE THEN IT WILL BE READILY AVAILABLE TO ENTIRE POPULATION. WE STILL SEE DEATHS FROM CERVICAL CANCER SO IF WE CAN PREVENT THOSE FOUR TO FIVE THOUSAND DEATHS PER YEAR IT IS WORTH IT."

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

GARLIC "STINKS" AT LOWERING BAD CHOLESTEROL...IN OTHER WORDS, A NEW STUDY BY STANFORD CONCLUDES THAT GARLIC HAS NO IMPACT ON CHOLOESTEROL. THE RESEARCH INVOLVED 200 PEOPLE WHO USED GARLIC IN ITS RAW OR SUPPLEMENT FORM. STILL GARLIC IS BELIEVED TO BE BENEFICIAL TO LOWERING BLOOD PRESSURE AND FIGHTING INFECTION.

LENGTH-01:00 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

The posh Hollywood party seen here in this footage provided by Sports Illustrated was filled with SPORTS ILLUSTRATED SWIMSUIT MODELS, INCLUDING COVER GIRL BEYONCE KNOWLES. BUT UNLIKE THE SEXY MODELS, THE PARTY HAD A NOT SO REVEALING OR GLAMOROUS PROBLEM. ONE OF THE COOKS EMPLOYED BY THE CATERER OF THE PARTY, WOLFGANG PUCK, TESTED POSITIVE FOR HEPATITIS A. THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAYS ANYONE WHO ATTENDED THAT PARTY COULD HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO HEPATITIS A AND SHOULD GET A SHOT BY TOMORROW TO PREVENT COMING DOWN WITH THE VIRUS. WE CERTAINLY WANT TO ALERT PEOPLE AND GIVE THEM A CHANCE IF THEY'RE WITHIN THE WIN AT THE WHERE PROPHYLAXIS CAN WORK TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE TO GET IMMUNE GLOBULIN WHICH CAN REDUCE THE RISK OF GETTING IT IF THEY'VE BEEN EXPOSED TO IT ABOUT 85%. OLYMPIA MEDICAL CENTER ER DOCTOR ANGELIQUE CAMPEN SAYS THERE IS THE NO CURE FOR HEPATITIS A AND COMING DOWN WITH IT ISN'T PLEASANT. TO BE VOMITING, NAUSEA,

UPSET STOMACH, YELLOW SKIN, ABDOMINAL PAIN. WOLFGANG PUCK ISSUED THIS STATEMENT UPON LEARNING OF THE POSSIBLE INFECTION: WE ARE WORKING CLOSELY, AND IN FULL COOPERATION, WITH THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES THE INDIVIDUAL WAS PLACED ON MEDICAL LEAVE AND WE IMMEDIATELY WORKED TO TAKE EVERY PRECAUTION TO FURTHER SAFEGUARD OUR PATRONS AND OTHER EMPLOYEES.